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## Editorial Comments...

**Jill Bayers Hotchkiss**



Jill Hotchkiss

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all of you! We sincerely wish you a healthy and prosperous new year with greatly

improved cattle markets.

As I write this, it seems a long time since our last publication. Lots of things have happened since our November/December issue went to press — national and state elections, several state Hereford sales and meetings, some of the first bull sales of the season, and the AHA's big annual meeting just to name a few. Now, the big Denver Stock Show is just around the corner.

The few sales I have been to so far have been good, although averages are down. I think this was expected seeing as the cattle market in general was quite low this fall. Fortunately it is starting to rebound and most producers are not expecting the prices of the last two years. Right now those high prices are a fond memory which we hope will one day return.

Lots of good state Hereford meetings around our region. I was able to attend the South Dakota banquet and sale which were well attended. I think the SDHA banquet could have been the biggest one they've had in recent years with over 200 people. North Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas and Montana all had their annual meetings in November and December also but I haven't heard reports on them yet.

So enthusiasm for the breed is alive and well and continues to grow.

In November I attended the Amer-  
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## American Hereford Association Presents Top Honors at Annual Meeting in Kansas City

### Hall of Fame Inductees Honored

Jimmy Powell, Fort McKavett, TX, and Jack Turner, Oklahoma City, OK, were inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame in Kansas City, MO, during the American Hereford

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Jack Turner of Oklahoma City, Okla., was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Fame at the 2016 Hereford Honorees Reception. Pictured (left to right) Sam Shaw, 2016 AHA president, Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president, Jack Turner, Graham and Kate Turner, their daughters Saylor Graham and Sibyl Kate and Bob Thompson, AHA board of directors member.

### Hereford Hall of Merit Honored

Art Handel Jr., Rapid City, S.D, was inducted to the Hereford Hall of Merit Oct. 28 at the American Hereford Association (AHA) Hereford Honorees Reception during the AHA Annual

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Art Handel was inducted into the Hereford Hall of Merit during the 2016 Hereford Honorees Reception Oct. 28 in Kansas City, Mo. From left to right: 2016 AHA president Sam Shaw, 2017 AHA president Terri Barber, Pat Handel, Art Handel and 2016 AHA board of directors member Bob Thompson.



Jimmy Powell of Fort McKavett, TX, was inducted into the American Hereford Association's Hereford Hall of Fame. Pictured (left to right) Sam Shaw, 2016 AHA president, Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president, Lorrie Uhl (daughter), Jimmy Powell, James Uhl (grandson) and Bob Thompson, AHA board of directors member.

## Terri Barber New AHA President, New Board Members Elected

Terri Barber, Channing, TX, was announced as the new president of the American Hereford Association (AHA) during the Annual Membership Meeting in Kansas City, MO.

Barber has been involved in the Hereford business since birth. Her family owns and operates Barber Ranch, Channing, TX.

"Serving as our AHA president is a prestigious honor that both humbles and inspires me to serve our mem-



Terri Barber, 2017 AHA president

bership in the most effective and enlightened way possible," Barber said. "One of the most rewarding opportunities all members of AHA can experience is serving your membership on the Board of Directors. There's no better way to learn, grow and contribute to the all-important decision making processes that have and will continue to make  
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**Lot 020C • EPHR ELKER BROKER 020C** (43561006) • We used this bull after the AI work as clean up, some of the sale heifers may be serviced by him • We are excited to see his calves • Herd bull prospect • BW 60 lbs. • A heifer bull • Ratios WR 108, YR 105, REA 103, IMF 129 • Great Ratios • DOB 3/04/2015



**Lot 027C • EPHR ELKER ARIZONA 027C** (P43563541) • A powerful bull with tons of performance • Heaviest bull at yearling • Light scurs • Herd bull prospect • BW 85 lbs. • Ratios WR 95, YR 105, REA 122, IMF 115 • DOB 3/02/2015



**Lot 050C • LE ELKER STOCK BROKER 050C** (P43567534) • We showed this bull at the state fair, he was very popular • Dark and long with great pigment • Super sound and free moving • Herd bull prospect • BW 83 lbs. • Dam is an awesome cow with a great udder • Ratios WR 113, YR 110, REA 109, IMF 102 • DOB 3/06/2015



**Lot 099C • EPHR ELKER REDEEM 099C** (P43575139) • Great bull with tons of style • Herd bull prospect • Out of a great Dam of Distinction • BW 83 lbs. • Ratios WR 103, YR 106, REA 112, IMF 104 • DOB 3/15/2015



**Lot 105C • TE ELKER ARIZONA 105C** (43575157) • Horned bull with great pigment • Herd bull prospect • Out of a great Dam of Distinction • BW 90 lbs. • Ratios WR 112, YR 102, REA 93, IMF 91 • DOB 3/15/2015



**Lot 121C • EPHR Miss Redeem 121C** (P43575227) • Red eyed • Big, Deep and thick bodied • Dam is a Dam of Distinction, a great old cow • Birth weight 86 lbs. • Ratios WR 118, YR NA • AI bred to EPHR ELKER BROKER 444Z 005C {DLF,HYF,IEF}, then pasture exposed from 6/1/2016 to 9/15/2016 to EPHR STAND OUT 626A {DLF,HYF,IEF} • DOB 3/18/2015



**Lot 173C • EPHR ELKER BLAZER 173C** (P43600774) • Herd bull prospect • Dam has a perfect udder • Thick and super deep • BW 92 lbs. • Ratios WR 102, YR 109, REA 107, IMF 172 • DOB 3/24/2015



**Lot 205C • EBE ELKER TRACTOR 205C** (P43600858) • Eric's show bull, showed very well at the Jr. shows this summer • A herd bull prospect • BW 68 lbs. • A heifer bull • Ratios WR 108, YR 107, REA 121 • DOB 4/14/2015

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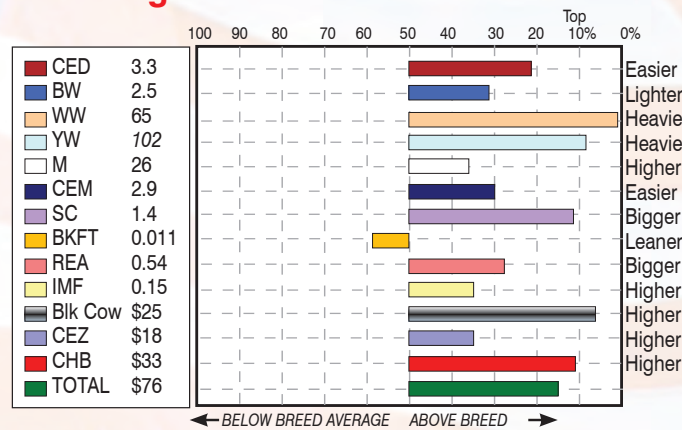
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Lot 2 - R On Target 4386  
RN: 43711605 - DOB: 3/20/2016  
Sire/Dam: On Target 936 / Revolution 4510  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.9 +2.0 +75 +122 +26 +3.5 +1.5  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.00 +0.83 +0.60 +\$24 +\$19 +\$17 +\$39

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Lot 5 - R New York 4076  
RN: 43711570 - DOB: 3/05/2016  
Sire/Dam: SHF York 19H Y02 / On Target 936  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+5.9 +1.8 +76 +113 +23 +3.1 +1.6  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.023 +0.41 +0.28 +\$30 +\$21 +\$23 +\$40



Lot 7 - R 4Ever 5486  
RN: 43711727 - DOB: 4/05/2016  
Sire/Dam: Hyalite Foremost 302 / Vision  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+3.6 +2.2 +80 +120 +26 +2.2 +1.6  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
-0.014 +0.88 +0.02 +\$27 +\$18 +\$15 +\$40



Lot 15 - R New York 4126  
RN: 43711575 - DOB: 3/06/2016  
Sire/Dam: SHF York 19H Y02 / A1 Sensation  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.6 +2.8 +74 +116 +30 +2.8 +1.5  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.029 +0.51 +0.31 +\$27 +\$19 +\$21 +\$40



Lot 51 - R On Target 4815  
RN: 43604130 - DOB: 3/29/2015  
Sire/Dam: On Target 936 / Felt  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.2 +1.3 +59 +88 +31 +4.6 +1.7  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.064 +0.14 +0.38 +\$28 +\$21 +\$23 +\$30



Lot 53 - R 4Ever 6855  
RN: 43604352 - DOB: 4/26/2015  
Sire/Dam: Hyalite Foremost 302 / Puckster  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.3 +2.5 +74 +126 +25 +2.2 +1.7  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
-0.016 +0.71 +0.10 +\$27 +\$19 +\$21 +\$40



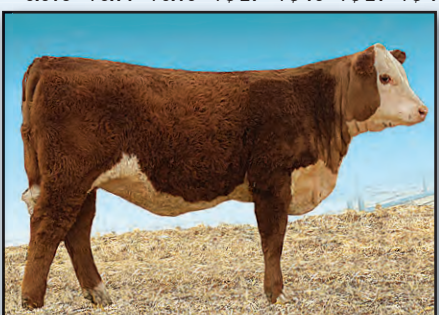
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RN: 43711532 - DOB: 3/20/2016  
Sire/Dam: On Target 936 / 2nd Revolution  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.3 +2.2 +69 +107 +27 +3.6 +1.4  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.014 +0.75 +0.03 +\$24 +\$19 +\$18 +\$34



Lot 152 - R Miss New York 56  
RN: 43711740 - DOB: 3/03/2016  
Sire/Dam: SHF York 19H Y02 / On Target 017  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+3.6 +2.8 +80 +119 +23 +2.4 +1.6  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.005 +0.64 +0.21 +\$29 +\$18 +\$22 +\$42



Lot 153 - R Miss New York 16  
RN: 43711350 - DOB: 3/01/2016  
Sire/Dam: SHF York 19H Y02 / On Target 936  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+4.2 +2.0 +74 +109 +22 +2.9 +1.5  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.047 +0.42 +0.21 +\$27 +\$19 +\$21 +\$36



Lot 154 - R Miss On Target 646  
RN: 43711836 - DOB: 3/27/2016  
Sire/Dam: On Target 936 / Puckster 2586  
CED BW WW YW M CEM SC  
+5.2 +2.3 +70 +113 +33 +3.4 +1.5  
Fat REA Marb BMI CEZ BII CHB  
+0.009 +0.56 0.01 +\$23 +\$19 +\$16 +\$34

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## January

- 12-14 National Western Stock Show  
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12 - Bull Show / Junior Show  
Mile High Eve Frozen Genetics Sale  
13 - Carload/Pen Show  
Mile High Night Sale  
14 - Female Show  
14-22 Knippling Online Bull Sale  
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16 Van Newkirk Herefords Bull Sale  
Oshkosh, NE  
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Torrington, WY  
23 Atkins and Delaney Bull Sale  
Lake Benton, MN  
24 Churchill Cattle Co. Bull Sale  
Manhattan, MT  
26 Sioux Empire Farm Show  
Hereford Show  
Sioux Falls, SD

- 28 Melcher Herefords Bull Sale  
Page, NE  
28 Carswell-Nichols Bull Sale  
Alton, KS  
30 Southwestern Exposition Show  
Fort Worth, TX

## February

- 1 Black Hills Stock Show Hereford  
Show and Sale  
Rapid City, SD  
2 Stroh Hereford Ranch  
Killdeer, ND  
2 Ridder Herefords Production  
Sale  
Callaway, NE  
3 Dvorak Herefords Bull Sale  
Pickstown, SD  
3 Elkington Polled Hereford Sale  
Idaho Falls, ID  
3 Baumgarten Herefords Sale  
Belfield, ND  
4 JMF Herefords and Sim-Angus  
Bull Sale  
Holloway, MN

- 4 Upstream Ranch Bull Sale  
Taylor, NE  
6 Cattlemen's Choice Sale  
Pelton Polled Herefords and  
Wasem Red Angus  
Halliday, ND  
7 Watertown Winter Farm Show  
Hereford Show and Sale  
Watertown, SD  
8 Friedt Herefords Sale  
Dickinson, ND  
10 Topp Herefords Sale  
Grace City, ND  
11 Amdahl Angus and Hereford and  
Jim Baker Herefords Sale  
Rapid City, SD  
11 Hillsvie Farms Bull Sale  
Eureka, SD  
12 Mrnak Herefords Sale  
Bowman, ND  
13 BB Cattle Co. Sale  
Connell, WA  
13 Logterman Herefords Sale  
Valentine, NE

- 13 Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch Sale  
Ree Heights, SD  
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Philip, SD  
15 Shaw Cattle Co. Bull Sale  
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17 Blacktop Farms Bull Sale  
Mitchell, SD  
17 Hoffman Ranch Bull Sale  
Thedford, NE  
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Worland, WY  
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Meadow, SD  
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Sale  
Hoven, SD  
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# Modest Birth ♦ Massive Meat



BW 2.6  
WW 61  
YW 101  
M 37  
M+G 68  
REA .89  
Marb .06

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BW 2.1  
WW 60  
YW 102  
M 37  
M+G 67  
REA .60  
Marb .41

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BW 2.7  
WW 81  
YW 121  
M 24  
M+G 65  
REA .35  
Marb .69

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YW 112  
M 37  
M+G 74  
REA .23  
Marb .52

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**Jill's Editorial...***(continued from page 1)*

ican Hereford Association's annual meeting in Kansas City. I was quite impressed with the meetings, educational sessions and events that the AHA staff conducted. There were two rounds of educational sessions, three choices for each. Most of the sessions were con-

ducted by AHA personnel. I thought this was a good idea since there are new people and new programs at the AHA.

One that I attended, Whole Herd TPR Genetic Evaluation, conducted by Shane Bedwell, AHA's director of breed improvement, was excellent. There was great interest in his subject matter and he spoke to a packed house

each time. He discussed developments for implementing new genetic evaluation software called BOLT. He also spoke about further implementation of Genetically Enhanced EPDs which he said won't necessarily change the EPDs a lot but will dramatically improve the accuracy. He also touched on some of the new EPDs to be implemented in the future. These will include Sustained

Cow Fertility (SCF), Heifer Calving Rate (HCR), and Dry Matter Intake (DMI). He also spoke about the dollar index EPDs or as they refer to them, the Profit Indexes. All popular subjects which were well presented to a very attentive crowd.

The other seminar I attended was the Social Media presentation by AHA's Marketing and Communications Coordinators Kaylen Baker and Katy Holdener. The new, young AHA employees who conducted this presentation did an excellent job of presenting an overview of using Social Media for ranch promotion. It was interesting to see these new employees in action but just as interesting to see who was in attendance. The session I went to didn't have a lot of people at it but we were certainly a diverse group, all the way from experienced users to total newbies but the young women handled themselves well and answered questions well.

The AHA's annual meeting with complete business reports and election of new officers was one of the most encouraging in a long time. Again, when you are playing to a packed venue you know there are a lot of interested people. And it was that. A positive financial report, updates on the committees which sound like they are moving in the right direction, positive news about the CHB program and introductions of new employees. My sincere compliments to AHA's executive vice president Jack Ward and his staff for a great job.

The election of new directors was interesting with a very capable group of nominees. The directors coming off the board were Sam Shaw, outgoing president; Curtis Curry and Jonny Harris.

The new directors are Tommy Mead, Midville, GA; Bruce Thomas, Gold Creek, MT; and Joel Birdwell, Kingfisher, OK.

An exciting development was the election of Terri Barber as the AHA's new president. Terri comes from the historic Barber Ranch family in Channing, Texas. She is integrally involved in the ranch and also brings years of sales and technical experience to the table, working for Elanco Animal Health for 10 years. She is currently a territory manager for the southwest region. At one time, she worked as the national branded beef marketing associate at Elanco. She is a smart, capable, talented young woman who is dedicated to the breed, its future and its programs. Congratulations Terri!

Also of note at the Kansas City events, our good friend Art Handel from Rapid City was inducted into the AHA's Hall of Merit.

For those of you who don't know Art, he has worked tirelessly for the Hereford industry for most of his life and is in his 53rd year on the road, as he says. He grew up on a Hereford farm/ranch in South Dakota and went on to work for the AHA for 33 years. After leav-

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BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
4.3	49	81	26	51	.15	.01	21



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BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
2.5	42	72	29	50	-.14	.06	18



## MLS-PRAIRIE FUSION 5209

Here is a long bodied thick bull with a very strong expressive stifle. This bull takes a lot after his grand-sire 140X. Dam 304 is a great cow in the making.

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
4.4	55	90	26	53	.30	.23	30

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CL1 DOMINO 2142Z ET

THR THOR 3213A  
CHURCHILL CAPTAIN 2128 Z ET  
TP DESERT XPRT 327  
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UU HARLEY 9130  
DS RENDITION 359W  
UU SENSATION 2053  
SR NAVARRO 140X



## SH CAPTAIN 544

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BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
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BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
5.3	48	86	27	51	.00	.10	21



## SH CAPTAIN 552

A long bodied heavy muscled 2128Z ET son with exceptional pigment. 552 has good growth numbers and would excel in a cow calf operation.

BW	WW	YW	Milk	M&G	REA	MARB	CHB\$
3.4	51	86	28	54	.32	.10	25



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Sire: HH Advance 4105B ET



**R Starlette 682**

Sire: CL 1 Domino 330A 1ET



**R Starlette 687**

Sire: HH Advance 1193Y ET



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ing that organization he became self employed, working the ring at sales (over 5,000 sales), buying and selling feeder cattle and females, primarily Hereford and Hereford-cross cattle. He also does some consulting and sale management work. He has racked up over a million miles on the road in the last 53 years — the ultimate road warrior for Herefords. He is not limited to our breed but he does a lot for it. In this area of the Dakotas, Nebraska and Minnesota, he's one of the best things going for the Hereford industry. We extend our heart-felt congratulations to him. Well deserved!

On another subject, the AJHA has an incredible scholarship program. There were 13 sets of scholarships awarded in Kansas City, with the Vanier scholarship recognizing 10 young people. It is amazing the amount of money which has been collected for these scholarships. It was amazing to sit through the awards ceremony as each recipient gave a very brief introduction of themselves. These are some very impressive young people. My hope is their success will carry on and that many of them will stay in the Hereford business.

Congratulations are also in order for Sam Shaw, outgoing AHA president.

Sam is a record-setter, being the third AHA president in one family, something never before achieved. Fulfilling his dreams of raising Hereford cattle and serving the breed and the breeders, Sam continues living the Hereford dream with his family. Daily ranch operations include his dad, Greg, mother Cleo



Outgoing AHA president, Sam Shaw with his wife Janel and children, Ava (left) Lydia and Gwen.

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AHA executive vice president Jack Ward at the mike during the annual meeting, Sam Shaw at right.

and brother Tucker and Sam. With 450 bulls to sell each February plus 3,000 irrigated acres, there is plenty of work to go around on their Idaho ranch.

Sam served the association well as did his father, Greg, and his grandfather Tom. Congratulations to Sam and his predecessors on a job well done!

And finally, I am pleased to announce that Hereford America's sister company, The Livestock Link (TLL), has brought a new partner on board. Philip Eggers from Sioux Falls, SD, officially joined the company this fall. He will be TLL's Chief Financial Officer.

Phil is a man who wears a lot of hats including being on TLL's road crew conducting video sales. He is also a Hereford breeder owning and operating Eggers Southview Farms with his dad, Tim. Their farm is near Renner, SD, just north of Sioux Falls. Phil is also a realtor and is the past manager of the South Dakota Hereford Association.

Thank you once again to all of our advertisers. You have made this January issue one of the biggest we have published, tying with last year's.

Dad is getting the month off for Christmas. Maybe he will return the favor to me next month as I start attending shows and sales.

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M&G 60 REA .66 IMF .15 CHB 30



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BW: 4.1 - WW: 54 - YW: 83  
MM: 25 - M&G: 51

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*This bull is short marked and smooth made with ample thickness and a great profile. He will sire some great females.*



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BW 4.5; WW 59; YW 96; M 28; MG 58; REA 0.41; MRB 0.11; CHB\$ 28  
*Clean made 242 son who shows thickness across the top with a big rear quarter.*



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BW 1.9; WW 53; YW 89; M 31; MG 57; REA 0.39; MRB 0.25; CHB\$ 28  
*He's a super clean made and upheaded bull. He could be a heifer bull with great carcass values.*



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BW 2.1; WW 48; YW 84; M 29; MG 53; REA 0.36; MRB 0.29; CHB\$ 28  
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**DCR 200Z PRECEDENCE 518**  
4/28/15 by Churchill Red Bull 200Z  
Dam: Red Hills Keri T85  
BW 2.8 WW 61 YW 102 Milk 29 M&G 59  
SC 1.2 Fat -0.003 REA 0.55 Marb .21  
BMI \$22 CEZ \$15 BII \$17 CHB \$33



**DCR 200Z PREMIER 521**  
4/30/15 by Churchill Red Bull 200Z  
Dam: Red Hills Keri T85  
BW 2.8 WW 61 YW 102 Milk 29 M&G 59  
SC 1.2 Fat -0.003 REA 0.55 Marb .21  
BMI \$22 CEZ \$15 BII \$17 CHB \$33



**DCR DREAMIN CONCHO-2014**  
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**DCR 713 KOOTENAY 512**  
4/28/15 by DCR Koot 713  
Dam: Remitall Polly 411T  
BW 3.3 WW 53 YW 94 Milk 16 M&G 42  
SC 0.9 Fat -0.016 REA 0.60 Marb .14  
BMI \$21 CEZ \$15 BII \$18 CHB \$30



**DCR 713 KOOTENAY 529**  
9/18/15 by DCR Koot 713  
Dam: DCR 3232 Dom 7035  
BW 2.8 WW 51 YW 92 Milk 18 M&G 43  
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## Barber...

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our breed prosperous. Special thanks to those who invested your confidence and trust in my leadership when being elected to the Board in 2013 as well as your president this year."

Founded in 1904, Barber Ranch was a 2004 honoree of the Texas Family Land Heritage Program for being in continuous family ownership for 100 years. Herefords have been the mainstay of the Barber program since the beginning, with the herd currently consisting of 350 registered females.

Barber said as president, she plans to continue to focus on programs that will help Hereford breeders produce genetics that will benefit from economically relevant traits highly sought in all industry segments.

"Our priority in genotyping to identify genetics that can build profitability will remain center plate as well as providing our staff and allied leaders the resources to maintain efficiency of member services," Terri says. "Marketing value-based programs will also be a key component to ensuring Herefords are committed to industry demands whereby growing our Certified Here-



The Barber family pictured in Kansas City. Pictured left to right are Jenna Barber (Justin's wife), boy in front Tanner Reynolds (Brett's step-son), Justin Barber, Rylee Barber, Bryden Barber behind Rylee, Reagan Barber (Brett's wife); Brett Barber; Terri Barber; Mary Barber, Dale Barber; Jason Barber, Jaci Barber (Jason's wife) and Bode Barber.

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BP 87Z STANDARD LAD 130B {DLF IEF HYF}



BW	WW	YW	M	TM	REA	MAR
4.9	51.4	77.2	18.8	44.5	0.58	-0.01

130B is an exciting young polled sire with a unique outcross Ribstone pedigree. He exemplifies the kind of polled bull we want to raise at Bar Pipe and we plan on using him extensively.



BP 44U ECHO 44Y

This outstanding polled cow is the dam of both 130B and 149C who was Reserve Junior Champion Bred & Owned bull at Bonanza 2016. 44Y is a maternal sister to powerful herdsire 38T. We are retaining an in-herd semen interest in 149C.

He sells  
Medicine Hat  
Bull Sale



BP 23A CRACKER JACK 149C  
{DLF IEF HYF Homozygous Polled}

BW	WW	YW	M	TM	REA	MAR
4.1	56.9	103.0	24.0	52.5	0.67	0.16

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ford Beef (CHB®) brand. Equally important will be supporting our junior members, Hereford Youth Foundation of America and National Hereford Women affiliates and their unparalleled growth in ensuring the next generation stays committed and successful."

The Barber family uses extensive artificial insemination (AI) and embryo transfer (ET) in their efforts to offer customers the best genetics available. They host an annual bull sale in November in San Saba – the heart of the Texas Hill Country. Show heifer and donor prospects are sold in special sales in the spring and fall. To increase marketing efforts, the Barbers also exhibit at the national shows.

Along with assisting on the ranch as time permits, since 2007 Terri works for Elanco Animal Health as a territory manager in the Southwest region, including El Paso and New Mexico. She has also served as Elanco's branded beef marketing associate and has worked directly with premier branded programs in the U.S.

"Every single person involved in our present state of success should be commended and thanked for their contributions in this monumental state of achievements in the Hereford breed," Barber said.

"While we continue our growth and enviable positioning within the beef industry, we cannot lose sight of the dynamic efforts we have taken to position us where we are today, nor shall we become complacent," Barber said. "Our breed is in what I would term as the best it's ever been in my lifetime. It is with great gratitude and respect I thank those who have served on this AHA Board and staff for allowing me, my family and all of us in this rewarding business today to enjoy our livelihoods. I look forward to a phenomenal year of growth, profitability and success for all entities involved."

### Schultz selected vice president

Selected to serve as the 2016 vice president was Kevin Schultz, Havi-land, KS. Schultz manages his family's Sandhill Farms, a seven-generation,

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CARCASS: CW **60** / REA **.10** MARB **-.02**  
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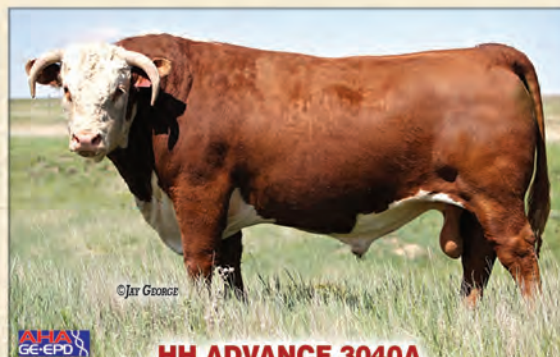
**HH ADVANCE 2181Z**

CL1 Domino 886U x CL1 Domino 320N  
CED **2.5** BW **3.8** WW **63\*** YW **95** MILK **32\*** M+G **63\***  
CARCASS: CW **71** / REA **.30** MARB **-.15**  
**Potent Performance, Powerful Record, Landmark Maternal Pedigree!**



**HH ADVANCE 4082B**

CL1 Domino 1161Y x HH Advance 5104R, "DOD" Dam  
CED **1.9** BW **2.9** WW **59** YW **97** MILK **34** M+G **63**  
CARCASS: CW **71** / REA **.26** MARB **.04**  
**Powerful, Complete, Curve-Bender, Beef Bull!**



**HH ADVANCE 3040A**

HH Advance 0132X x L1 Domino 03571  
CED **1.7** BW **2.8** WW **41** YW **63** MILK **33** M+G **53**  
CARCASS: CW **51** / REA **-.08** MARB **.09**  
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**JA L1 DOMINO 2110Z**

CL1 Domino 9125W x CL1 Domino 555R  
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CED **1.3** BW **2.8** WW **48** YW **76** MILK **31** M+G **55**  
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## AHA Directors...

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diversified farming and cattle operation. Hereford cattle have been bred on their land since the mid-1900s.

The cow herd includes about 300 cows. With the maturity of Conservation Reserve Program acres, the Schultz family is in an expansion phase. Through the use of embryo transfer (ET), approximately 200 of the calves are registered, and the balance will be purebred commercial. The commercial cows have been purebred Hereford since the mid-1940s.

The family has fed out its steers at commercial feedlots for the past 15-20 years. Feedlot performance data, as well as individual carcass data, have been collected and tracked.

In 2008 the family started a spring bull sale. In the sale, all 5-year-old cows that are pregnant with heifer

calves sell.

The Schultz family also sells commercial open heifers and customer-owned black baldy heifers each year in the sale. Sandhill genetics have been part of the National Reference Sire Program (NRSP) and the Circle A Ranch heterosis project. Schultz uses these programs to increase the accuracy and predictability of his bulls and to identify outliers that will help move the breed in the desired direction. Sandhill Farms is a Gold TPR Breeder; the family has been whole-herd reporting since the beginning of its registered cattle program.

Schultz was a longtime member of the

Kansas Polled Hereford Association, serving multiple terms on the board and



Pictured is the 2017 American Hereford Association (AHA) Board of Directors. Seated (left to right) are Terri Barber, Channing, TX, president; vice president; Kevin Schultz, Haviland, KS; Dave Bielema, Grand Rapids, MI; Joe Van Newkirk, Oshkosh, NE; and Jack Ward, Kansas City, MO, executive vice president. Directors standing (l to r) are: Bruce Thomas, Gold Creek, MT; Bob Thompson, Rolla, MO; Jim Bellis, Aurora, MO; Kyle Perez, Nara Visa, NM; Joel Birdwell, Kingfisher, OK; Jim Mickelson, Santa Rosa, CA; Tommy Mead, Midville, GA; and Peter Atkins, Tea, SD.

as president. He is a current member of the Kansas Hereford Association. In 2004, he was AHA's nominee to the National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA) Young Cattlemen's Conference. Sandhill Farms was honored with the Beef Improvement Federation (BIF) Seedstock Producer of the Year Award in 2010. Kevin and his wife, Vera, have three children — Brooke, Tyler and Courtney.

### Directors Elected

Delegates elected three new directors during the membership meeting. Joel Birdwell, Kingfisher, OK; Tommy Mead, Midville, GA; and Bruce Thomas, Gold Creek, MT, will serve four-year terms on the 12-member board.

Completing their terms on the AHA Board were outgoing president Sam Shaw, Caldwell, ID; Curtis Curry, McAlester, OK; and Jonny Harris, Screven, GA.

### Joel Birdwell

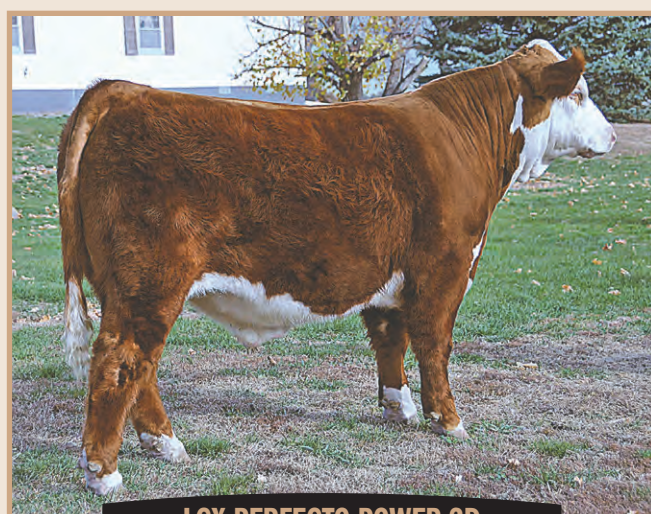
Hereford breeder Joel Birdwell, Kingfisher, OK, grew up on a ranch in southwest Oklahoma, where his family homesteaded 114 years ago.

Birdwell raised and showed Hereford cattle in his youth and was involved in the state and national junior Hereford programs. He attended Oklahoma State University (OSU) and was a member of the 1995 livestock judging team.

Upon graduation, Birdwell was hired by OSU to manage its purebred beef cattle herd, which consisted of 500 purebred cows and five breeds. He was responsible for managing the artificial AI and embryo transfer ET programs, the student workforce, and the annual production sale.

In 2002, Birdwell and his wife, Bridget, moved to Kingfisher to help expand Bridget's family's farming and cattle operation. They run approximately 2,000 head of stocker cattle annually that graze winter wheat. They

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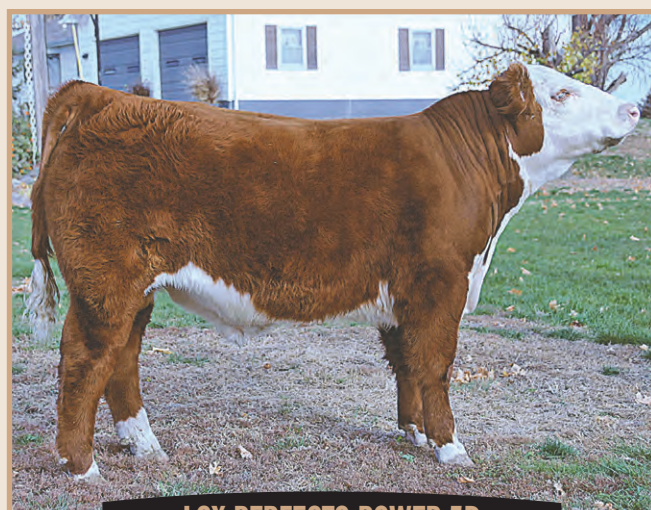
**LCX PERFECTO POWER 2D**

**P43725243**

3/14/16 by LCX Perfecto 11B ET

Powerful herd bull prospect. Super long, deep, big middle, thick & big butted. Dam is a flawless structured, perfect uddered Bailout cow from Elm Lodge! Smooth polled.

**BW 0.1 WW 57 YW 87 M 31 M&G 59**



**LCX PERFECTO POWER 5D**

**P43725258**

4/2/16 by LCX Perfecto 11B ET

Herd bull prospect to sire fancy show heifers & steers! Heavy muscled-big hipped & extra clean fronted. Dam was an Elm Lodge sale feature & top seller by About Time! This guy resembles Lautners LCX Sioux Empire bull!!!

**BW -1.1 WW 48 YW 71 M 30 M&G 54**

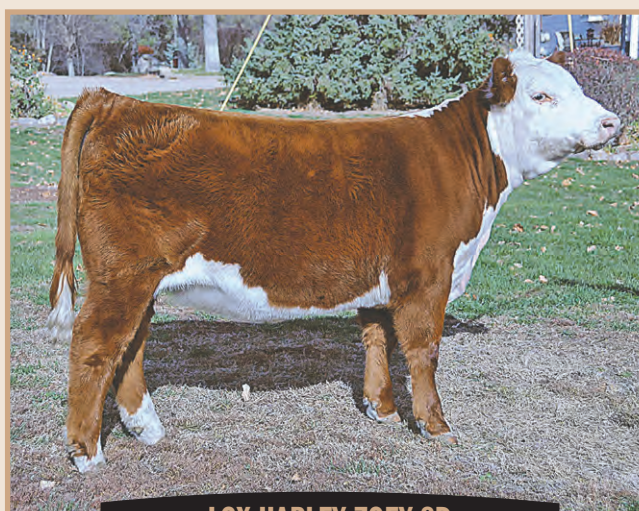
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**BW 0.9 WW52 YW 87 M 25 M&G 51**

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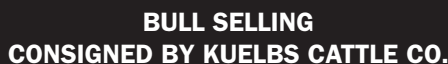
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# Hereford Sale Thursday, January 26, 2017

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## 26 Bulls (Yearlings and 2's)

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also have more than 400 commercial cows and utilize a three-breed cross breeding rotation of Hereford, Angus and Charolais genetics.

Birdwell partners with his father on 300 registered Hereford and Angus cows, which are on the family ranch in Fletcher, OK. They utilize AI and calve both in the spring and the fall. Approximately 100 head of bulls and females are marketed through their production sale hosted in February as well as through private treaty.

Birdwell's focus is to raise bulls and females that excel in the economically important traits — calving ease, marbling, fertility, fleshing ability and rapid growth to a moderate mature size.

Birdwell has also followed in his father's footsteps and has been growing his purebred auction business for the past 10 years.

He is a member of the Oklahoma Hereford Association and has served as

a voting delegate for the AHA Annual Meeting. Birdwell is also involved in the Oklahoma Cattlemen's Association as district director and the American Quarter Horse Association and is president of the Kingfisher County Cattlemen's Association.

In his community, Birdwell is a member of the First Baptist Church and is on the grounds and property committee. Birdwell and his wife have three sons, Jarret, 14, Judson, 12 and Jhett, 9.

### Tommy Mead

Involved in the Hereford business since his youth, Mead and his wife, Valarie, own and operate Mead Cattle Enterprises in Midville, GA.

Mead purchased his first registered Hereford in 1977, and at the age of 12, he began showing Herefords in 4-H. Although he has always lived in Burke County, he has a broad base of experience managing complex issues in both large and small operations. Mead manages the day-to-day operation of Mead

Cattle Enterprises.

Mead Cattle consists of a base herd of 250 registered Hereford cattle, and it produces an additional 150 ET calves each year. Mead manages a vigorous ET program that flushes every five weeks from October to June. Semen and embryos are sold around the globe.

Mead began marketing cattle through production sales in 1985, and in 2000 the first Mead Program Sale was hosted at the farm. In 2017 Mead Cattle Enterprises will host its 17th sale on Memorial Day.

In 2009 Mead Cattle received the Conservationist of the Year award from the Brier Creek Soil and Water Conservation District.

Mead was a National Junior Hereford Association member for nine years, has been a member of the Georgia Hereford Association for more than 30 years, served two terms as its president, has been its sale chairman and has hosted and facilitated field days.

He has been involved with national,

state and county shows not only as a member, but as a father, volunteer and sponsor. Mead and his daughter, Tommie Lynne, have attended many junior events at the state and national level.

Mead has served on the boards for the Burke and Jefferson County Cattlemen's Associations and the Georgia Cattlemen's Association, and is a 4-H advisor and consultant. Mead and Valarie have four children, Tommie Lynne Mead, C.W. Walker, Katelyn Walker and Jackson Walker.

### Bruce Thomas

Montana Hereford breeder Bruce Thomas has been involved in the Hereford industry since birth. Thomas and his wife, Tammy; son, Kurt and his wife, Jessica; and his parents, Richard and Shirley, manage Thomas Herefords, Gold Creek, MT.

The family's registered Hereford operation began in 1957 and Thomas was brought up in the business. In the

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## BAR JZ RANCHES

# TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2017

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### 1:00 P.M.

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BD	CED
3/26	5.1
B	W
2.1	60
Y	M
94	25
RE	MB
.74	-.08

BAR JZ COBBLESTONE 134D – Hearthstone x Victor

*Sires Represented:*

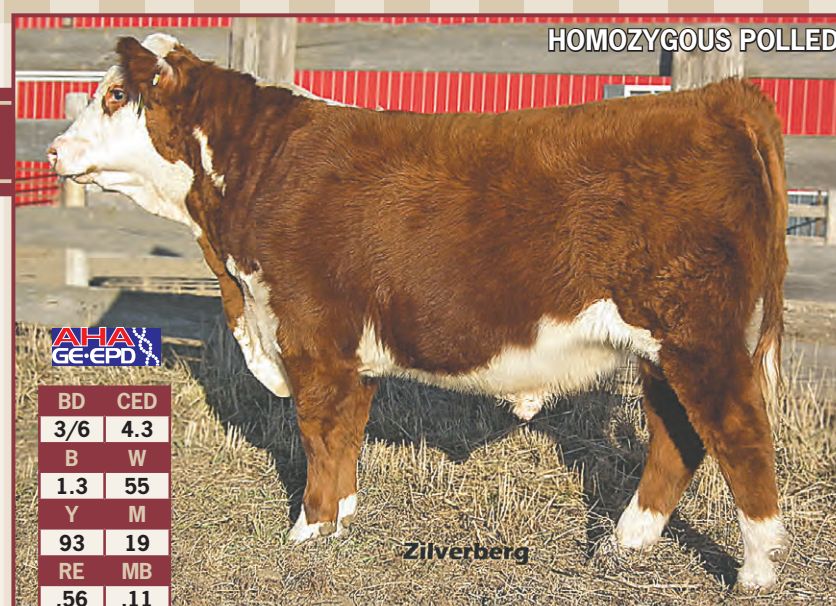
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BD	CED
3/6	4.3
B	W
1.3	55
Y	M
93	19
RE	MB
.56	.11

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BD	CED
3/22	5.5
B	W
0.9	58
Y	M
89	21
RE	MB
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- BW +1.4 WW +65 YW +99 M +35 M&G +68 REA +.22 MARB +.39
- This exciting sire ranks in the top 10% of breed or higher on WW, Scrotal, Milk, M&G, and MARB EPD's and \$CHB while also being in the 20% on BW and YW EPD. He sires extra pigment, volume, length of body, and eye appeal in a great calving ease, carcass, performance, and maternal package. Sons sell!



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- BW +.9 WW +58 YW +86 M +35 M&G +64 REA +.41 MARB +.18
- Look at the tremendous volume, rib shape, pigment, and eye appeal in this curve bending 3006A son out of the great 5139R cow. 6186D is a great all around package backed by one of the top cows in the breed.



## HH ADVANCE 6009D ET

- BW +1.7 WW +55 YW +87 M +39 M&G +66 REA +.19 MARB +.07
- Powerful herd bull prospect with loads of balance and eye appeal. Dam is a top donor out of the great 5139R cow.



## HH ADVANCE 6007D ET

- BW +2.0 WW +52 YW +83 M +23 M&G +49 REA +.11 MARB +.52
- Thick butted, big topped, extra fancy son of the Cooper 420B bull. Loaded with carcass strength and out of a great 10 year old donor.



in 2013. Three sons and several maternal grandsons sell out of this great foundation female.

## HH MISS ADVANCE 5139R

- This great female has produced over \$1 million in progeny sales and sold for \$175,000



## HH ADVANCE 6237D ET

- BW +4.8 WW +58 YW +94 M +30 M&G +57 REA +.33 MARB +.30
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Sire: BCC Billy the Kid 330A

DOB: 03/02/16 BW: 94 205 Wt: 786



Sire: CL 1 Domino 215Z

DOB: 02/18/16 BW: 79 205 Wt: 660



Sire: HH Advance 2029Z ET

DOB: 02/11/16 BW: 84 205 Wt: 713

### HERD BULLS

BCC Billy the Kid 330A

BCC L1 Domino 489B

CL 1 Domino 215Z



Sire: BCC L1 Domino 489B

DOB: 01/27/16 BW: 84 205 Wt: 730



Sire: AH JDH Cracker Jack 26UET

DOB: 02/11/16 BW: 83 205 Wt: 683

LSW WCC About Time X06

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CL 1 Domino 412B



Sire: HH Advance 1013Y

DOB: 02/15/16 BW: 87 205 Wt: 724

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## RV CONVICTION 6926

BW	WW	YW	M	SC	REA	MARB	CHB
2.7	53	94	31	0.9	0.80	0.22	\$33



## RV RINGO 6724

BW	WW	YW	M	SC	REA	MARB	CHB
4.8	56	109	26	1.1	1.01	0.80	\$33



## RV CREEDENCE 6401 ET

BW	WW	YW	M	SC	REA	MARB	CHB
2.7	53	94	31	0.9	0.80	0.22	\$33

### SELLING:

50 yearling bulls  
10 two year old bulls  
25 registered heifers  
20 commercial heifers  
50 F1 baldy heifers



## RV COLLATERAL 6947 ET

BW	WW	YW	M	SC	REA	MARB	CHB
2.7	53	94	31	0.9	0.80	0.22	\$33

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BW 3.6 WW 50 YW 84 M 23 MG 48  
REA 0.33 MRB -0.06 BMI\$ 14 CHB\$ 22



**BB 994 Domino 6037**

BW 3.2 WW 52 YW 79 M 23 MG 49  
REA 0.37 MRB 0.09 BMI\$ 18 CHB\$ 26



**BB 994 Domino 6005**

BW 5.3 WW 60 YW 101 M 28 MG 58  
REA 0.45 MRB 0.09 BMI\$ 17 CHB\$ 29



**BB 3141 Domino 6023**

BW 4.1 WW 69 YW 107 M 33 MG 68  
REA 0.48 MRB 0.18 BMI\$ 17 CHB\$ 35

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BW 4.0 WW 63 YW 109 M 21 MG 53  
REA 0.56 MRB 0.08 BMI\$ 18 CHB\$ 32



**BB Top Shelf 5138**

BW 4.3 WW 54 YW 99 M 27 MG 53  
REA 0.59 MRB 0.03 BMI\$ 10 CHB\$ 28



**BB 994 Domino 5163**

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 Dam, herdsire H5 9131 Domino 2185



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BW 86 WW 697 RATIO 106  
BW 1.1 WW 50 YW 74 M 36 M&G 61



**BLL 85Z BRITISHER 65D**  
REG# 43709234

Solid marked son of AGA 2U BRITISHER 85Z. Great cow family.

BW 90 WW 665 RATIO 101  
BW 3.4 WW 38 YW 62 M 23 M&G 42



**BLL 101Z BIG BEN 79Z**  
REG# 43708776

Bone and muscle, son of AGA 2U BRITISHER ZONE 101Z. Same great cow family as 65D and 138D.

BW 99 WW 697 RATIO 106  
BW 6.0 WW 43 YW 70 M 20 M&G 41



**BL L7X T-BONE 121D**  
REG# 43708783

Son of BLL STANDARD TIME 743 7X, moderate frame, calving ease, deep ribbed with performance. Unique pedigree with ABOUT TIME 743, 137Y and STANMORE 21M all bred into one.

BW 75 WW 660 RATIO 101  
BW -1.9 WW 29 YW 39 M 27 M&G 42



**BLL 40A BACKPACKER 138D**  
REG# 4308754

Son of BLL TRAVELLER 185Y 40A. Deep flanked with extra length. Again same great cow family as 65D and 79D.

BW 94 WW 696 RATIO 106  
BW 2.7 WW 42 YW 69 M 27 M&G 48



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## Thomas...

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late 1970s, he started Thomas Custom Fitting, in which he fed, fit and showed Hereford cattle across the United States, culminating with winning grand champion horned female at the 1984 National Western Stock Show. As his family began to grow, Thomas dissolved this business to be home with his family.

He then started a 25-year career in the timber and sawmill industry while helping with the day-to-day responsibilities of the ranch. During this time, Thomas had numerous responsibilities including being in charge of ranch sales, managing the operation's human resources and ensuring the safety of 150 employees.

In the 1970s Thomas Herefords began to use AI, but the ranch became aggressive in using this technology in the 1990s when the Thomases also started to utilize expected progeny differences (EPDs).

Today Thomas Herefords maintains 250 head of registered Hereford cows and markets cattle private treaty throughout the United States and other

countries. The ranch sells 75 bulls and more than 50 head of females annually. Its partnership with Accelerated Genetics has provided an opportunity for domestic and international semen sales.

The focus of Thomas Herefords is to develop cattle to meet the needs of commercial customers by producing sound, efficient cattle that can excel in all segments of the beef industry. Thomas is a member of the Montana Hereford Association and has served numerous terms on the board of directors and held various officer positions including treasurer for the 2016 Montana Hereford Association Tour. He has also served as an advisor for the Montana Junior Hereford Association.

Currently, Thomas is vice chairman of the Watershed Restoration Coalition of the Upper Clark Fork River and is on the Powell County Planning Board. He is also a member of the Montana Stockgrowers Association and Clark Fork City Church.

Bruce and Tammy have three children — Kurt and his wife Jessica, Amber and her husband Travis, and Heather and her husband Ben — and five grandchildren.

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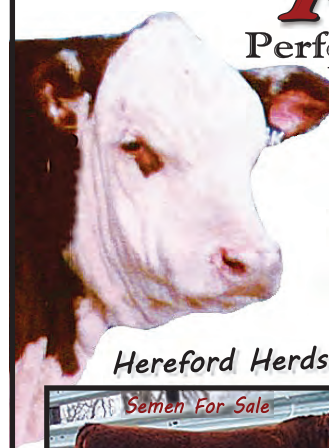
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76 lbs		+4.2	+60	+98	+20	+17	+13



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
75 lbs		+4.1	+59	+95	+26	+33	+06



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
80 lbs		+1.7	+45	+61	+27	+31	+03



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
84 lbs		+3	+52	+79	+25	+30	+01



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
99 lbs		+4.0	+45	+80	+22	+50	+10



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
76 lbs		+2.7	+53	+87	+23	+37	+44



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
85 lbs		+0.0	+46	+80	+32	+26	+25



Act. BW	EPDS	BW	WW	YW	M	REA	Marb
85 lbs		+1.8	+48	+82	+30	+38	+15

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# Hall of Fame, Powell and Turner...

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Association (AHA) Hereford Honorees Reception.

The Hall of Fame honor annually recognizes breeders who have dynamically influenced the direction and advancement of the Hereford breed.

"We congratulate both of these men for the impact they have made on the

Hereford breed," said Jack Ward, AHA chief executive officer. "Their dedication to the breed is inspiring and I am honored to induct them into the Hereford Hall of Fame."

## Jimmy Powell

After serving as a lieutenant junior grade in the U.S. Navy, Powell re-

turned to his family ranching operation and began his registered Hereford operation. For more than 50 years, Powell has selected for scale, composition, muscling and milking ability to produce cattle that perform in the feedlot.

Powell graduated with a bachelor's degree from Rice University. He was a member of the advisory committee for the Packers and Stockyards Administration for the United States Department of Agriculture and was named a

member of the Secretary of Agriculture's technical advisory committee for multilateral trade negotiations.

Powell served on the National Cattlemen's Association tax committee and the National Livestock tax committee. He was inducted into the International Stockmen's School Hall of Fame and the Texas State Fair Agriculture Hall of Honor.

## Jack Turner

Turner started his Hereford herd after graduating from the University of Oklahoma with the basic principals of keeping an eye on birth weight and keeping mature size in check while emphasizing as much end product merit as possible.

Turner bred the famed L617 bull that was used in the National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA) carcass merit project, which led to the first tenderness expected progeny difference (EPD) in the Hereford breed, and is still the basis for the current genetic markers for tenderness.

Turner serves on the Hereford Research Foundation board and has helped guide the American Hereford Association by identifying the research projects the association should be involved with. He is very supportive of research projects going on within the AHA both financially and with genetics.





LOT 7

**JMF 33Z Sheza Victory 607D**



Dam of Lot 8  
TTFL Mirada Time 007 (DOD)

**JMF 338 Red Mirada 625D**



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*Rapid City, SD*  
**Wednesday, February 1, 2017**





**Lot 19 — ERNST MS BUILT TUFF 499** {DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 P43519094 — Calved: June 22, 2014 — Tattoo: BE 499

NJW 98S DURANGO 44U {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 KT BUILT TUFF 1010 {CHB,DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 KT MS R117 RIB EYE 9177 {DLF,HYF,IEF}

JA L1 DOMINO 8619U {DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 ERNST MS 8619 DOMINO 248  
 ERNST PAULINE P054



**UPS SENSATION 2504 ET**  
 Service sire to Lot 19

• A deep bodied, feminine and moderate daughter of Built Tuff. His daughters are proving to be outstanding females. Ned and Jan Ward thought so much of his daughters that they leased Built Tuff's walking rights from us to breed their heifers to this past summer.

• The service sire of the pregnancy 499 is carrying is UPS Sensation 2504 ET. His dam is the famous 78P cow. 2504 is being used heavily across the industry and is leased to Accelerated Genetics. He brings calving ease and growth to his offspring.

• Vet called this pregnancy to be a heifer.

**Lot 19 — ERNST MS BUILT TUFF 499** {DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 P43519094 — Calved: June 22, 2014 — Tattoo: BE 499

THM DURANGO 4037 {CHB,SOD,DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 NJW 9126J DEW DOMINO 98S {DOD,DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 SHF RIB EYE M326 R117 {CHB,SOD,DLF,HYF,IEF}  
 KT MS 122L ONLINE 4011 {DOD}  
 HH ADVANCE 286M 1ET {SOD,CHB,DLF,IEF}  
 JA L1 DOMINETTE 1421L  
 KCF BENNETT 759 H142 {SOD,DLF,IEF}  
 ERNST 31E PROSPECTA K044 {DOD}

CE	BW	WW	YW	MM	M&G	MCE	MCW	UDR	TEAT	SC	CW	FAT	REA	MARB	BMIS	CEZS	SIIS	CHBS
+4.6	+0.4	+55	+78	+27	+55	+4.9	+79	+1.43	+1.52	+1.9	+60	-0.036	+0.27	+0.12	+\$31	+\$22	+\$28	+\$29

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Tyler Shockley Wheatland WY	Female	NJW 67U 28M Big Max 22Z	Nate/Bob Kolterman/Mills Gordon NE	Bull	CRR 719 Catapult 109
Corey Schafer Glenham SD	Female	RH MR Gold 3213A	Andy Dettke Marysville KS	Bull	DP NLC 719T code Ped 1167
Cody Williams Colman SD	Female	JDH Victor 719T 33Z ET	Harold Lietzau Sparta WI	Bull	NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET
Samantha Dyer Crawford NE	Female	WCC LSW 9101 TG Cheyenne 305	Troy Rasmussen Elkton SD	Bull	Churchill Red Bull 200Z
Glenn Muller Davis SD	Female	CHAC Mason 2214	Jack Walsh DeGraff MN	Bull	Blacktop Lambeau 459 ET
Barbara Swett Platte SD	Female	H L1 Domino 3053 ET	Justin Tracy Wellfleet NE	Bull	CRR American Made 310
Briley Miller Newcastle WY	Female	WORR Owen Tankeray Y79D ET	Keith Eichler Aberdeen SD	Bull	Hyalite On Target 963
Briley Miller Newcastle WY	Female	H/TSR/CHEZ/Full Throttle ET	Tyler Woods Sturgis SD	Bull	C ETF Wildcat 4248 ET
Tyler Shockley Wheatland WY	Female	NJW 108Y 44U Durable 44A	Brent Wirth New Richmond WI	Bull	NJW 73S W18 Hometown 8Y ET
Corey Schafer Glenham SD	Female	AH JDH Cracker Jack 26U ET	Kurt Kegley Burlington WI	Bull	GKB 88X Laramie B293
Steve Smythe Menomonie WI	Female	LHF 26U Jackhammer A363 ET	Sage Krebs Gordon NE	Bull	SLDK Two Timer 1409 ET
William Wilhelm Sundance WY	Female	KCF Bennett Encore Z311 ET	Steven Muller Agar SD	Bull	UPS Sensation 2296
Sage Krebs Gordon NE	Female	CRR About Time 743	Whitney Steckel Taylor NE	Bull	RST Times a Wastin 0124
Steve Smythe Menomonie WI	Bull	SNL'S Trixx	Tyler Woods Sturgis SD	Bull	HH Advance 9027W
Chesney Effling Highmore SD	Bull	R Leader 6964	Jeremy/Kate Roberts Absarokee MT	Bull	CRR About Time 743
Barbara Swett platte SD	Bull	H L1 Domino 3053 ET	Glenn Muller Davis SD	Bull	NJW 98S R117 Ribeye 88X ET
Chesney Effling Highmore SD	Bull	R Leader 6964	Cody Williams Colman SD	Bull	CHAC Mason 2214
Sherry Hanson Conde SD	Bull	HPH 10U Bodacious	Steven Muller Agar SD	Bull	UPS Sensation 2296
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Sherry Hanson Conde SD	Bull	HPH 10U Bodacious	Ryan Sellman Chadron NE	Bull	UPS TCC Nitro 1ET
Briley Miller Newcastle WY	Bull	WORR Owen Tankeray Y79D	Chesney Effling Highmore SD	Bull	H/TSR/CHEZ/Full Throttle ET
Bryan Warner Riverton WY	Bull	H KH 177R Domino 4131	Harold Lietzau Sparta WI	Bull	MSU TCF Revolution 4R
Barbara WeidenbachHighmore SD	Bull	TFR Cyrus 225 ET	Keith Eichler Aberdeen SD	Bull	DKF RO Cash Flow 0245 ET
Whitney Steckel Taylor NE	Bull	UPS Spartan 3310	Robert Schunke Stewartville MN	Bull	TH 89T 755T Stockman 475Z
Steve Smythe Menomonie WI	Bull	LHF 26U Jackhammer A363 ET	Andy Dettke Marysville KS	Bull	DD NLC 719T Code Red 1167
Bryan Warner Riverton WY	Bull	H KH 177R Domino 4131	Robert Schunke Stewartville MN	Bull	TH 122 71I Victor 719T
Briley Miller Newcastle WY	Bull	WORR OWEN Tankeray Y79D ET	John Schmidt Pipestone MN	Bull	DelHawk WRB Truth 713 ET
Samantha Dyer Crawford NE	Bull	GKB 88X Laramie B293	Marshall Ernst Windsor CO	Bull	Mohican Bar Star Revved Up 78A
Troy RasmussenElkton SD	Bull	H/TSR/CHEZ/Full Throttle ET	Daniel Fawcett Ree Heights SD	Bull	ECR AL Ree Heights 3003 ET
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## Hall of Merit, Handel...

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Membership Meeting in Kansas City, MO. Hall of Merit inductees are not necessarily Hereford breeders but have, in their own ways, greatly influenced the Hereford breed and cattle industry.

Handel is the third generation of the Handel Hereford family. He attended South Dakota State University where he was involved in Block and Bridle, Little International, the rodeo club, the livestock judging team and the meats judging team. While at SDSU, Handel began traveling and working sale rings across the country. To date, he has worked more than 5,000 sales.

In 1970, Handel began a 33-year

career as a field representative with the American Hereford Association and the *Hereford Journal*. He traveled across the United States, worked with the adult and junior organizations and conducted many state, national and international tours.

Art was instrumental in starting the South Dakota Junior Hereford Association and was an adult advisor for the program for many years.

He also buys Hereford and Hereford-influenced feeder calves for feed yards in Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota.

Art is a great friend of the Hereford breed and the AHA is honored to induct him into the Hereford Hall of Merit.



Pat and Art Handel visit with Mike Nolles, Bassett, NE, after the awards ceremony. Mike says he has traveled a million miles with Art and heard lots of stories.

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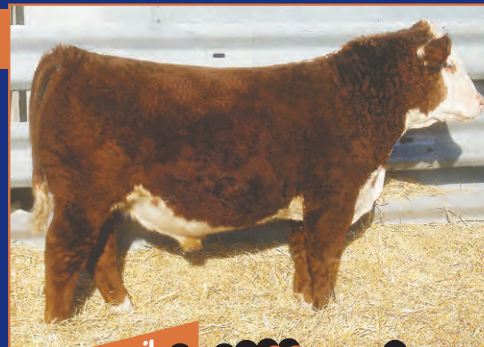
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## Cooper Family Honored by MSU Jake Jabs College of Business

Six businesses received the Family Business Day awards at the 2016 Montana State University Jake Jabs College of Business & Entrepreneurship State Farm Insurance Family Business Day, this fall in Bozeman, MT.

The 2016 Family Business Day award winners are Elliotts of Montana of Bozeman in the very small business category (fewer than 10 employees); MARS Stout of Missoula in the small business category (10-30 employees); Wild West Shirt Company of Bozeman in the medium business category (30-50 employees); General Distributing of Great Falls in the large business category (more than 50 employees); Cooper Hereford Ranch of Willow Creek in the old business category (operating at least 50 years); and Busted Knuckle Brewery of Glasgow in the new business category (operating 10 or fewer years).

Mark Cooper said their family was very honored to be chosen for the award.



The Cooper family, (left to right): Tracy Schopp, Natalie Cooper, Katie Cooper, Kelsy Cooper, Dave Hanson, Cristy Cooper, Mark Cooper.

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2.3	4.1	54	78	25	52	.50	.04	+\$27

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**TTFL 1413 338 Jane 1603**

Reg: 43744082 • DOB: 2/10/2016  
Sire: VIN-MAR TCC BPF RED BARON 338  
Dam: TTFL 0507 34Z JANE 1413

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M/G	REA	MB	CHB
2.2	3.8	55	82	23	51	.46	-.01	+\$26

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**TTFL 910 0924 Jane 1625**

Reg: 43731983 • DOB: 3/8/2016  
Sire: CKP ABOUT TIME 0924  
Dam: TTFL JANES PURPLE MILSAP 910

CED	BW	WW	YW	M	M/G	REA	MB	CHB
2.6	4.2	57	87	24	53	.49	-.08	+\$26

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# Ochsner Earns All-American Judging Title

A University of Wyoming Livestock Judging Team member earning an All-American Award may cap a career like no other across the nation.

Blake (BW) Ochsner of Torrington, WY received the honor during the North American International Livestock Exposition in Louisville, KY, in November.

Ochsner is one of 11 students across the nation receiving the award, and UW is one of only five universities to have an All-American Award recipient, said Caleb Boardman, UW livestock judging coach.



BW Ochsner

Ochsner's resume includes a meat judging All-American Award as a member of the UW reserve national champion team, a Junior College All-American Livestock Judge award for

Casper College in 2014, and a member of the 2015 UW meat animal evaluation team, where he was second-high individual overall at the national contest.

Boardman believes Ochsner is the first person to ever accomplish being a three-time All-American.

"The amount of work he has put in (continued on page 41)

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CE 4.2; BW 2.7; WW 60; YW 109; M 31; MG 60



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CE	BW	WW	YW	MM	M&G	SC	FAT	REA	MARB	CHB\$
3.9	4.5	62	89	26	57	1.0	-0.025	0.47	-0.01	30

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• This bred heifer was bred AI June 29, 2016, to calving ease bull TH 512 145Y El Dorado 49B ET (P43465395). Ultra-sounded safe on Aug. 27, 2016, with a bull calf.

**This sale heifer and our pen of heifers can be viewed in Pen 1534. You are invited to an open house on Thursday, January 12th from 2 pm to 4 pm.**

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Lot 4

TH 41B 17Y LAMBEAU 20D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
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Lot 14

TH 207B 17Y LAMBEAU 11D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.9	56	92	22	0.31	0.34	12/26



Lot 9

TH 512X 17Y LAMBEAU 404D ET

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
-1.1	49	81	22	0.24	0.24	1/06



Lot 139

TH 413B 148B LAMBEAU 136D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.6	49	80	24	0.34	0.20	1/27



Lot 34

TH 287B 145Y PROSPECTOR 19D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
4.0	68	113	23	0.31	0.21	12/30



Lot 33

TH 529B 154Y PROSPECTOR 44D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
0.8	56	87	26	0.30	0.13	1/12



Lot 74

TH 748A 704X EXCEED 121D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.0	60	94	22	0.35	0.15	1/23



Lot 40

TH 95W 7B START ME UP 65D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.2	61	97	24	0.43	0.04	1/16



Lot 41

TH 35A 7B START ME UP 94D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
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Lot 7

TH 165B 17Y LAMEAU 17D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
-1.6	46	72	22	-0.04	0.36	12/29



Lot 5

TH 44B 17Y LAMBEAU 53D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.2	52	83	23	0.22	0.28	1/14



Lot 10

TH 512X 17Y LAMBEAU 431D ET

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
5.8	48	78	23	0.17	0.26	2/5



Lot 36

TH 45B 145Y PROSPECTOR 13D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.3	53	90	25	0.11	0.19	12/27



Lot 123

TH 57Z Z303 STRATEGY 228D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.0	62	105	21	0.53	0.22	2/12



Lot 143

TH 54W 86A LAMBEAU 107D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.0	53	84	25	0.38	0.15	1/20



Lot 102

TH 512X 17A HI-TECH 419D ET

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
1.2	51	83	30	0.32	0.04	1/17



Lot 94

TH 505U 14Z PLAYMAKER 48D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
3.3	53	83	27	0.36	-0.02	1/13



Lot 99

TH 108U 14Z PLAYMAKER 78D

BW	WW	YW	M	REA	IMF	BD
2.3	58	87	25	0.71	0.01	1/18

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# Middleswarths Register 101 Years of Ranching, 51 Years at National Western

by Sandra Hansen  
Ag Editor, Star Herald

TORRINGTON, Wyoming — John Middleswarth surely had dreams of a long-lasting family operation when he started ranching near Cheyenne, Wyoming, in 1916, and it is equally certain that he would be awe-struck by the success his descendants have accomplished. An example of that was visible last January when his grandson, Jay Middleswarth, and family held their 58th production sale at the ranch east of Torrington.

Succeeding generations kept moving north, looking for open land that would allow them to spread out and achieve their goals. Leaving the Cheyenne country because his ranch was landlocked, the next stop was near Wheatland, then northeast of Torrington. Finally, Jay's father, Ed, and his uncle, Norm, put down roots on the Wyoming/Nebraska border near Henry, NE, and in the 1950s developed their own new line of cattle, known as Cruzeiro.

During the past 100 years, the family has used the 6M brand, a variation on what John had in mind. In the beginning, he wanted to use JM, but couldn't because that brand had been registered by Jim Moore, a cattleman near Jay Em, Wyoming, the small community named for the brand.

John opted for the 6M, that looks like a backward J descending from the left leg of the M. He still got a J and an M.

The family was honored for its 100 years of "Riding for the Brand" at the 2016 National Western Stock Show in Denver. They also were recognized for their 50th year of participating in the event. It was an extremely pleasant occasion for the Middleswarths because in addition to being recognized for their century-old operation, they had the champion winter bull calf pen of

three, and daughter Jessica showed the Champion Hereford Female, Intermediate Division, heifer.

"We're very grateful, and plan to continue as we are in some measure. Without our relationship with the buyers, we wouldn't have been able to reach this level of success," Middleswarth said.

Wrapping up an exciting month last year, Jay and his wife Marsha, hosted the annual bull sale on the home place

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An unconventional bull sale format has been successful for Middleswarths for 3 years.

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## Ochsner...

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both in academics and judging is unprecedented," Boardman said. "He is the type of student that makes being a coach so enjoyable."

Ochsner was named an outstanding senior in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources by Gamma Sigma Delta and is a member of the Block and Bridle, Collegiate Cattleman's and Food Science clubs. He conducted an undergraduate research project on the "Regional Economic Impacts of Brucellosis."

Off campus, he is involved with the Wyoming and National Junior Hereford associations and the Wyoming Stock Growers Association.

Ochsner will graduate with an agricultural business degree this month and plans to return to the family-owned Hereford and Angus ranch, which was established in 1913, as a fifth-generation member.

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## Middleswarth...

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along the North Platte River east of Torrington. Daughters Jessica and Ashley were excused so they could attend classes at their respective colleges in Kansas and Oklahoma.

Middleswarth believes changes by producers and the industry over the past 100 years have led to today's successes.

Among those changes have been the type of animal that livestock producers are looking for, the marketing aspect,



The Middleswarth's 50th year in The Yards at Denver last year.

and even the Middleswarth bull sale.

Middleswarth said that the National Western has seen cattle move from the 50s-60s style, to the larger animals of the 80s, and now are backing off to a more moderate size. The volume of animals has decreased, also.

"Texans used to come up and buy a 100 bulls, but now a lot of people do their own production sales. There used to be more range cattle there, too, but now there are a lot of show types.

"The Stock Show still serves its purpose, though," he added. "I look at it as a window for owners to show their livestock.

"As a young man, we looked more at blood lines and types, and it was more of a marketing tool, but I've looked at it more as a way to educate myself in what the trends are."

According to Middleswarth, one of the trends is bulls that are heavier than those of 40-50 years ago, and his own Herefords grow faster.

"About six-seven years ago, during the drought, I experimented with genetics, and we now have quicker growth than we did in 1970."

The family's bull sale has changed with the times, as well, with buyers moving from pen to pen, instead of moving the animals.

"I got the idea at a farm sale," Middleswarth explained Wednesday. "I was watching the Madden brothers moving their pickup from place to place, sell-

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BW 2.5; WW 60; YW 94; M 32; M&G 61; REA 0.55; Marb 0.25



**UPS 9525 DOMINO 5143**

BW 3.5; WW 66; YW 104; M 18; M&G 51; REA 0.51; Marb 0.11



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ing the equipment, and thought, "Why wouldn't that work for our bull sale?"



Marsha Middleswarth greets a visitor as she takes care of the paperwork for the family's annual bull sale.

Four years ago, he switched and is very pleased with the results.

"What lead to it was the lack of labor, and time," Middleswarth explained. "We have the bulls sorted in groups into pens, and the auctioneers drive the pickup to each one. The bulls are happier because their buddies are behind them in the pen, and they don't spook as much when they don't have to move around one at a time. This is more natural for them, and it gives the buyers a chance to compare the bulls in the pen.

"We've tried the internet and video. This is so much quicker and takes fewer people. We had 58 bulls and were done in one hour and 10 minutes, Saturday," he said. "We haven't had any complaints from buyers, and this way, they can get on their way home sooner."

Middleswarth said his operation is all about the people, who are brought together by the Herefords.

"And working with the animals is very rewarding. You know, they're my family, too," he explained.



Three generations of the Middleswarth family have called Goshen County home. From left in the back row are Nick Fitzsimmons, son-in-law; daughters Ashley and Jessica; Marsha and Jay. Jay's mother, Wanda, left, and Marsha's mother, Harriette Ledbetter, are seated.

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43720271 • Hyalite On Target 936 x CL 1 Domino 484  
BW 2.2, WW 57, YW 92, MILK 27, SC 1.4, REA .40, MRB .13  
Dam has a WW ratio of 7@104.6 and BW ratio of 7@92.9.  
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### /S Revolution 66128

43720603 • KCF Bennett Revolution X51 x Rib Eye R117  
BW 0.6, WW 64, YW 99, MILK 28, SC 1.7, REA .90, MRB .35  
BW ratio 95 and WW ratio 122. His dam has a BW ratio of 4@98.3, WW ratio of 4@117.5 and Marb ratio of 8@110.5.  
Dam is also a maternal sib to 66001, pictured top left.



### /S Hometown 55498 ET

43667671 • NJW Hometown 10Y x CL 1 Domino 484  
BW 3.0, WW 55, YW 92, MILK 33, SC 1.2, REA .57, MRB .15  
Dam has a BW ratio of 7@92.9 and WW ratio of 7@104.6.  
55498 is a maternal brother to 66001, pictured top left.



### /S Tested 55576

43667631 • EFBeef TFL U208 Tested X651 x /S Efficient  
BW 0.5, WW 66, YW 97, MILK 28, SC 1.4, REA .64, MRB .60  
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### /S Homegrown 55570

43667546 • NJW Homegrown 8Y x THR Thor 4029  
BW 1.5, WW 58, YW 95, MILK 26, SC 2.0, REA .76, MRB .13  
Individual ratios: BW 99, WW 114, YW 108.  
Dam's ratios: BW 3@99.3, WW 3@104.3, YW 3@104.  
A maternal brother, /S Hometown 44608, sold in the 2016 sale to JBB/AL Herefords.



### /S Red Bull 55458

43667643 • Schu-Lar Red Bull 18X x THR Thor 4029  
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Ten carloads, 36 pens of heifers and 53 pens of bulls will be exhibited in the Yard show.

"The Hereford breed continues to grow and dominate on the national stage," said Bailey Clanton, AHA national shows coordinator and youth activities assistant. "We are looking forward to another great year at the National Western with record numbers."

The National Hereford Bull Show will begin at 8 a.m. on Jan. 12 with the National Hereford Junior Heifer Show immediately following. The Hereford Pen of Heifers Show will begin at 8 a.m. followed by the Hereford Pen/Carload Bull Show at 9:30 a.m. on Jan. 13. The National Hereford Female show will begin at 8 a.m. on Jan. 14.





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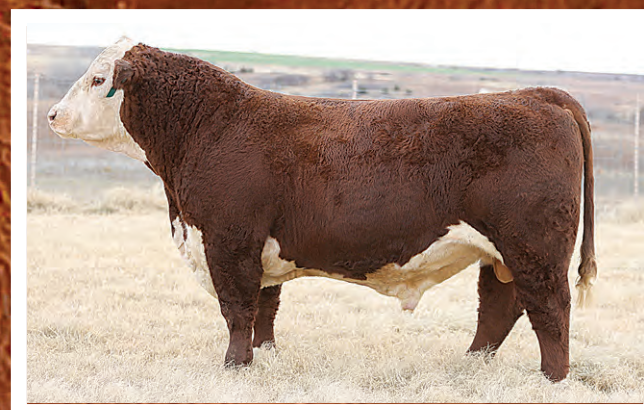
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Frank and Mary Douthit settled in northwest Kansas in the 1930s, and shortly thereafter sons Jim and Thad bought the family's first Hereford bull. After Thad turned to commercial operations in the 1970s, the Douthit Herefords tradition continued under brother Jim and his three sons, Walter, Roger, and Steve, who took over as partners in 1984. Primarily for estate planning purposes, in 2008 the brothers

dissolved their partnership. While Roger turned to running commercial cattle after that, Walter and Steve continued the seedstock operation as Douthit Herefords and 4V Ranch Douthit Herefords, respectively.

The brothers at the time divided the Douthit cowherd on a lottery basis. Although that common genetic foundation still yields a lot of similarities between the two operations, some variation in type and design has inevitably emerged as each operation independently makes selection and breeding decisions based on personal preferences and customer demands.

Despite that variation, certain themes continue that have placed the Douthits at the forefront of the Hereford breed for roughly 80 years. For the cattle, structure, disposition, calving ease and

feed efficiency are paramount traits. And for the families themselves, honesty, integrity, and consistency are the guiding principles. It's a combination that has won the Douthit family the respect of their peers, as evidenced by the induction of Walter, Roger, and Steve into the American Hereford Association Hall of Fame in 2012.

Today, the fourth generation of the family is actively managing both operations. Roger passed in 2013, and Steve was lost in a tragic farming accident in the fall of 2015. 4V Ranch is guided today by the family of Steve and his wife Melva, including their children Ana, Erica, Margo, Courtney and Thomas, their sons-in-law Tyler Enfield and Matt Gattshall and their grandsons Zarik and Quade. Walter, his daughter Megan and her husband

Chuck Downey direct operations at Douthit Herefords.

The Douthit's will be honored at the Red Meat Club dinner on Thursday, January 12, 2017, held in the National Western Club. This year's featured speaker is meat industry leader and NWSS executive board member Mark Gustafson. Drawing on more than 38 years' experience in promoting and advancing U.S. red meat exports, Mark will speak on "International Markets: Past, Present & Future." Those interested in attending should contact Anneliese Phippen at (303) 299-5556 to see if reservations are still available.



One of the Douthit bulls that will be in Denver this year, JCS 5216 Domino 3494.

## Sale Report CORRECTION

*Our apologies to The Berrys, Shaffer Livestock LLC of Rock River, WY and Todd Schaefer of Morill, NE for the mix up in last month's sale report. Following is the corrected version.*

**The Berry's  
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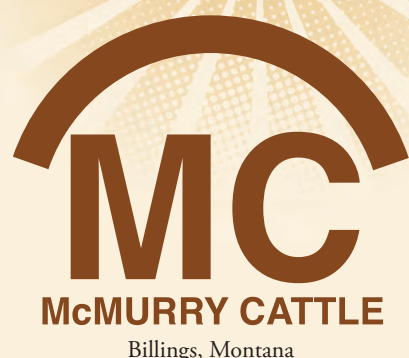
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### Top Lots:

Lot 18, B Pi Domino 18C, 3/12/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Shaffer Livestock LLC, Rock River, WY, \$11,500. Carl Shaffer bought his first bull at The Berrys in 1969.  
Lot 33, B Pi Domino 33C, 3/21/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Warren Ranch, Cheyenne, WY, \$7,000.  
Lot 27, B Pi Domino 27C, 3/21/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to PR5 Ranch, Wheatland, WY, \$6,750.  
Lot 30, B Pi Domino 30C, 3/21/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Chamberlain Ranch, Douglas, WY, \$6,750.  
Lot 8, B Pi Domino 8C 3/3/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Shaffer Livestock LLC, Rock River, WY, \$6,750.  
Lot 116, B Up Advance 116C, 5/11/15 by UPS Advance 2622 to Wade Allnut, Walden, CO, \$6,750.  
Lot 11, Mister Pi 11C, 3/10/15 by CL 1 Domino 314A to Russ Wedemeyer, Cheyenne, WY, \$6,750.

Todd R. Schaefer, Morill, NE bought the outstanding Lot 22 and one other bull.

*(Sale Reports continued on pg.55)*



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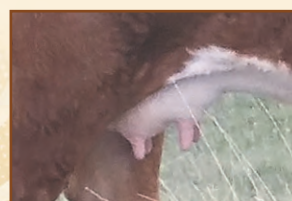
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BW 3.8; WW 52; YW 93; MM 27; REA .41; MARB .24  
Ideal Hereford bull out of Bravo and a super 0130X cow!

**Churchill Advance 6199D ET**

BW 1.9; WW 56; YW 88; MM 34; REA .23; MARB .16  
Great calf with new and unique L1 pedigree!  
HH 4126B/0130X.

**Churchill Bravo 627D ET**

BW 3.8; WW 52; YW 93; MM 27; REA .41; MARB .24  
Powerfull 940# weaner! Bravo/CL 1 Dom 0130X cow.

**Churchill Advance 6135D ET**

BW 1.2; WW 49; YW 83; MM 28; REA .47; MARB .80  
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BW 3.3; WW 66; YW 96; MM 33; REA .59; MARB .12  
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BW 1.4; WW 56; YW 89; MM 35; REA .43; MARB .16  
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BW 3.1; WW 61; YW 103; MM 33; REA .72; MARB .36  
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BW 3.4; WW 63; YW 107; MM 31; REA .83; MARB .31  
WW 864#, YW 1450#! It all comes together in this bull!  
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BW 1.8; WW 69; YW 107; MM 41; REA .86; MARB .19  
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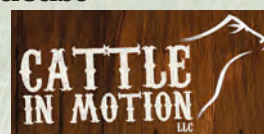
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# Obituaries



## Marjorie Jean Nelson

Our family is saddened at the loss of our mother, Marjorie Jean Nelson. She went to be with the Lord, on Nov. 10, 2016, at the age of 89. She was born in Quincy, IL, on Jan. 27, 1927, to Laura and Artie Holtman, and raised on the family farm in Ursa, IL. On a trip to Mon-



tana to visit her cousins, she met the man who would sweep her off her feet: Allen Nelson. They were married on March 6, 1948. They ranched on the family place until 1995 when they sold the ranch in Livingston and moved to Red Lodge.

Marge was doing great: walking a couple of miles a day and going to exercise class three times a week, but God needed a special angel, so He called her home. We are thankful she was blessed to live a long and healthy life. Her wish of living in the family home and not dying alone were granted. She was very independent.

Marge loved the Lord, her family

and her many friends, in that order. She loved to bake. Her cookies were always a hit, her cinnamon rolls were loved by all, and her pecan pies were the first to go. Her jerky, deviled eggs, and caramel popcorn were coveted by all. She loved to play games with the family and was very competitive. Marge spent many fun filled afternoons playing Tenzi with her dear friend Vonnie Heare.

Marge loved watching her grandkids and great grandkids play sports and other activities such as showing animals, FFA, and recitals. She tried not to miss any events.

Her love for Christ was very evi-

dent. She attended Luther Community Church every Sunday and faithfully brought treats to share. Marge is survived by the love of her life: Allen Nelson; four children: Dixie Hoffman (Denny), Janet

Dietz (Dwayne), Kent Nelson (Becky), and Lorra Mitzkus (Jim). She is survived by her four sisters: Rosie Jost, Jeanette Werner, Sylvia Baxter (Ralph) and Sandra Deal (Joe). Marge is survived by many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She was a grandmother to more than her biological ones. We were blessed to have her as our Mom, as a wife, as a grandmother, a great-grandmother, a daughter, a sister, an aunt, and a dear friend. We are shocked and saddened but are so very thankful that God allowed us have her for so long. We cry a lot, then we laugh some, and we rejoice when remembering her. She is up in heaven walking the streets of gold. Thanks, Mom, for all the love and support that you gave each one of us. We love you and miss you so much. Until we see you again.

## Mary Francis Reimer

Mary Frances Olinger was born December 4th, 1929 to Joe and Clara (Bentz) Olinger in Chamberlain, SD. She lived her entire life on the same farm. She attended a rural school through 8th grade and then attended Notre Dame High School in Mitchell, SD. After graduation, she attended Northern State Teachers College where she got her teaching certificate. Her first teaching job was at the Bode School in rural Brule County.

Mary Frances met William Reimer and on September 12, 1949 the two were united in marriage. They lived on her parent's farm near Chamberlain, in the house that her father built in 1903. She lived in this same house until she moved to Regency Retirement in 2014. After her husband passed away, Mary Frances went to work at Alco in Chamberlain. She really enjoyed her time at Alco, but health forced her to retire.

Mary Frances was an avid gardener and loved her houseplants. She liked to sew, knit and crochet in her spare time. She was very active in her church and community as a member of St. James Catholic Church, St. James Altar Society, and teaching CCD for several years. She was also 4-H club leader, was active in the Brule County Democrats and the Prime Cowbelle clubs as well as Extension Homemakers.

Mary Frances passed away on November 24, 2016 at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls at the age of 86 years. Gratefully sharing her life are her son Steve (Elaine) Reimer of Chamberlain; two daughters Janelle (Gerald) Bischoff and Kathy (Pete) Torres all of Huron; 10 grandchildren Jaimi (Brady) Lammers, Brian (Laura) Reimer, Amber (A.J.) Johnson, Lori (Mike) Peskey, Garret Bischoff, Abby

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March 20, 2017, 1 p.m. at the ranch.

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**JDH 48A TRUST 3373 54D**  
REG # 43677067 | DOB: 2/1/16



**JDH 739T VICTOR 33Z 97D**  
REG # 43677096 | DOB: 2/17/16



**AH HOMERUN 611D**  
REG # 43709317 | DOB: 2/22/16



**JDH 0705 RED VICTOR 33Z 27D ET**  
REG # 43693369 | DOB: 1/28/16



**JDH AH W18 DIMAGGIO 66D ET**  
REG # 43673969 | DOB: 2/4/16



**JDH 232Z VICTOR 33Z 11D**  
REG # 43677050 | DOB: 1/20/16



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Bischoff, and Matt (Heather) Bischoff, William Torres, Courtney Johnson, and Jeremiah Johnson; and 12 great grandchildren Patricia, Jimmy, Jake, Sydney, Keegan, Blake, Kyla, Peyton, Cooper, Parker, Reagan, and Easton; and son-in-law Gary Johnson of Huron.

Preceding her in death were her parents Joseph and Clara Olinger, her husband William "Bill" Reimer, and daughter Lisa Johnson.

### Judy Lou Munn Imig

Judy Lou Munn Imig, 79, of Lakeside NE, who founded Imig Herefords with her husband Roger, passed away surrounded by family on November 28, 2016.

Judy Lou Munn Imig was born January 22, 1937 in Harrison, NE to Mabel Clare Higgins Munn and John Owen Munn. The family moved to a farm north of Waverly in 1939, where they lived with Judy's grandmother and uncles during WWII. Her family lived in Rokeby, NE in 1945 where her family operated the grain elevator. Judy was actively involved in farming, helping her dad at the grain elevator, and in 4-H. She won numerous purple ribbons with her calves at the Nebraska State Fair and Ak-Sar-Ben.

Judy excelled at school. She skipped 3rd grade and matriculated at the Teacher's High School, an experimental teaching high school on the campus of the University of Nebraska, Lincoln. Judy was awarded a Regent's Scholarship upon graduating from high school.

Judy married Roger Imig in November, 1954 and they moved to the Imig farm outside of Goehner, NE. There Roger and Judy started their family of 4 daughters and one son. They farmed corn and soybeans and began a herd of Hereford cattle.

Judy was a competitive seamstress, competing and winning awards for beautifully constructed women's and children's clothing in the Nebraska Grange competitions. She often sewed through the night while raising 5 children under the age of 6, running a home and farming with Roger.

The Imig family moved to a ranch south of Valentine in 1968 to begin cattle ranching exclusively. The family moved to a ranch near Thedford, NE in 1973. Judy and Roger purchased the Arapahoe Ranch north of Lakeside and moved there in 1983 to continue the development and running of Imig Herefords. In 1982, Judy and Roger's family was named the Nebraska Farm Family by the *Lincoln Journal-Star*.

Judy loved living in the Sandhills. She was actively involved in the ranch, feeding, riding, haying, calving and marketing and catering their bull sales held on the ranch. She loved learning about the history of the Sandhills and enjoyed her neighbors immensely.

Judy loved every aspect of delivering cattle around the country to Imig Hereford customers. She enjoyed see-

ing the ranches where their cattle would produce and getting to know customers and their families. She especially enjoyed the independence and adventure of driving her pickup and trailer thousands of miles over the years in all kinds of weather and on all kinds of roads keeping the cattle healthy and safe.

Judy's sense of humor was often the magic needed to help the family through the hard work of ranching. Silly songs and bad puns were in her arsenal, as well as the perfect line to make a ridiculous day funny.

Judy was an avid reader of biographies, history, Nebraska authors, and of course, John Grisham. When she travelled with family to places like New York, London, Wales, Alaska and Hawaii she knew much about the history and culture from her reading which enriched everyone's experience.

She actively supported her kids' involvement in 4-H, Nebraska Jr. Hereford Association, high school sports, speaking contests, spelling contests, and piano lessons. She worked hard to make it all happen – making clothes, drilling spelling words, washing calves, driving everywhere, so her kids could pursue a wide range of activities and interests.

Judy was a leader in her community as a 4-H leader, Western Nebraska Community College Board of Education member, Lakeside School Board member, and Sheridan County Election Board member. SHE was an enthusiastic Nebraska Cornhusker fan and began going to games with her father in the 1940s at Memorial stadium in Lincoln.

She was encouraged by the growing strength of the current Husker team into her last days.

Judy loved her dogs, her registered Tibetan Terriers which she raised and showed, and her beloved rescue dogs Lulu and Charlie.

She was actively involved in the lives of each of her grandchildren and loved spending time with them, knowing all that was going on in their lives and group texts on Nebraska game days. Grandma Judy will be sorely missed.

Judy was very close with her sisters and brother, and loved getting updates from them about their kids and grandkids and so she could relay them to her own children.

Judy is survived by her children Janyce Imig West (Tess Southard), Mike Imig (Vicki Hoecher), Mary Imig (Robert Schweitzer) and Julie Imig (George Shopp); grandchildren Clare Schweitzer, Jack Schweitzer, Ellen Imig Arkfeld, Grace Imig Arkfeld, Margaret Imig, Madison Imig, Emily Judith West Southard, Trystin Gielissen, Zane Gielissen; and her sisters Janis Munn Davis, Eddie Munn Ranson, and brother John Munn.

Memorials may be given to the Alliance Public Library.

Online condolences may be left at [www.batesgould.com](http://www.batesgould.com) with Bates-Gould Funeral Home of Alliance in charge of arrangements.



### James "Jim" Mikkelsen

God gained a great cowboy November 27, 2016. James Milton Mikkelsen was born and raised in Eden, Montana, June 28th, 1928. Jim's parents owned and operated the grocery store and post office in Eden. Eventually, they purchased ranch land and Jim and his older brother Roy began their careers of ranching and raising registered Hereford cattle. Jim attended the Eden school grades 1-8. He worked at the Ayrshire Dairy as a teenager and at age 17 he tried to join the Army; at that time he was denied entry due to his young age.

In 1951, Jim was inducted to the Armed Forces. His years there were very important to him as was service to his country. In the service, he developed a fellowship with the brothers he served with that continued thru several reunions of the group throughout the United States.

In 1956, Jim married his bride Rachel Margaret Tow of Havre. Together they moved to Hobson to start their life work of ranching and farming. A short 9 months (and 15 mins later as Jim recalls) they had their first son, Rodney. The family then continued to grow with the addition of Darrell "Spike", Kerrie and Karla. In 1968 after starting his family on leased property, they purchased the Porter Ranch and continued



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Dam: NJW 81U 3027 Spirit Queen 69X  
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ranching there until they moved into Hobson. Jim continued to be involved in as many ranching and farming activities as possible and working on the ranch was forever on his mind.

Jim was a highly respected cattleman and was a leader and member in the American Hereford Association, Montana Hereford Association and Central Montana Hereford Association. His love of raising the best of the breed and showing them at various shows and sales across the state and eventually having a production sale of his own was among his proud accomplishments. He was a member of the "Fabulous Five," an accomplished

group of Hereford breeders in the state of Montana.

Jim was a strong leader in the Hobson community, participating in the local American Legion Post #76, the Utica Rod and Gun Club, Fergus Eagles Club, Hobson School Board, and being a lifelong supporter of local 4H and FFA clubs. Jim never met a stranger and didn't hesitate to share a story about Rachel's devotion to him, his ranch, his family and the great friends he made along the way.

He will be remembered as Husband, Dad, Grandpa, Slim, Kactus, Blue Chip and Proud Hereford Breeder.

Jim is survived by his wife, Ra-

chel; sons, Rodney (Traci) and Darrell (Judy); daughters, Kerrie (Tom) Sonnenberg and Karla (Jay) Synkelma; grandchildren, Brandon Mikkelsen, Kaleigh (Cody) Maldonado, Kensey Mikkelsen, Dustin (Maria) Mikkelsen, Tara Mikkelsen, Courteney (T.J.) Ferrin, Sara McKinnon and Josh Burnham, Mark McKinnon, Ryan Sonnenberg, Rachel Synkelma, and Jordan Synkelma; great-grandson, Dylan Mikkelsen; nieces, Linda Konesky and Lori Rosselot; nephew, Randy Russek; and many more nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his father, Louis; mother, Hilda; siblings, Marie, Roy, and Dorothy

Russek; and grandson, Andrew Mikkelsen.



Jim's granddaughter Kensey Mikkelsen is carrying on the family's Hereford tradition. She obtained this female as a heifer through the NILE's Heifer Merit program from Sidwell Ranch in Columbus, MT. She is one of Kensey's foundation females.

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## Sale Reports

**Bowling Ranch  
Herefords & Red Angus  
2016 Production Sale  
November 1st, 2016  
Newkirk, OK  
Auctioneer: Justin B. Stout**

**38 Hereford Bulls — \$2,762  
11 Red Angus Bulls — \$2,517  
3 Hereford Spring Pairs — \$4,083  
4 Hereford Fall Pairs — \$2,750  
4 Hereford Fall Bred Females — \$2,100  
14 Hereford Spring Bred Females — \$2,532  
10 Commercial Fall Pairs — \$1,850  
58 Commercial Spring Bred Heifers — \$1,523**

### Top Bulls:

Lot 1- BH Cowboy Time 743 4218 ET sold for \$5500 to Dwaine Waite, Winfield, KS  
Lot 17- BH Yankee Joe 4102 sold for \$4750 to Steve Sanders, Louisburg, KS  
Lot 12- BH Big Joe 1014 4155 sold for \$4500 to Tim Coble, Howard, KS  
Lot 2- BH Red Bull 4113 sold for \$4000 to Doug Wittman, Garnett, KS

### Top Females:

Lot 77- Bowling Lady Josie 513 sold for \$6750 to Jimmy Dunlap, Sayre, OK  
Lot 62- Bowling Lady 368 A sold for \$3800 to Gus Gustafson, Junction City, KS  
Lot 90- Bowling 939 Lady 028X 3052 ET sold for \$3500 to C&W Herefords, Burdick, KS  
Lot 70- JA L1 Dominette 030X sold for \$3500 to Glenn Chitwood, Wichita Falls, TX.

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# The NEBRASKA Classic

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**South Dakota Excellence Sale**  
November 12, 2016  
Brookings, SD

**Auctioneer: Chisum Peterson**

**27 Heifers — \$2,817**  
**2 Bred Heifers — \$2,350**  
**23 Show Steers — \$1,763**

## Top Heifers:

Lot 17, HPH 180B Shasta 205D, 5/8/16 by HPH 10Y Bodacious 180B; Hanson's Polled Herefords, Conde, SD to MNM Acres, Canton, SD, \$6,500.



Jenni Dvorak and daughter Sydney from Lake Andes, SD.



Brooklyn Mettler spending some time with her heifer at the South Dakota Excellence Sale in Brookings.

Lot 14, ECR Miss Randi 6553, 4/3/16 by ECR RO Rushmore 418 ET; Fawcett's Elm Creek Ranch, Ree Heights, SD to Pat Ruth, Iowa City, IA, \$5,300.  
Lot 25, MPH 200Z Lassie D9, 2/6/16 by Churchill Red Bull 200Z; Mettler Polled Herefords, Menno, SD to Ron Gylfe, MacKenzie Halverson, Cooper Ola, Beresford, SD, \$4,250.  
Lot 27, MC Cheekie 6004, 1/8/16 by UPS Sensation 2296 ET; Muller Cattle, Davis, SD to Cane Creek Cattle, Glenham, SD, \$4,000.  
Lot 33, WH Red Bull 67D, 3/21/16 by Churchill Red Bull 200Z; Wagner Herefords, Redfield, SD to Sam Smith, Batesland, SD, \$3,500.

Lot 29, RV Lady Consultant 6545, 3/11/16 by RV The Consultant 2921; Ravine Creek Ranch, Huron, SD to Tayle Black, Marion, KS, \$3,250.  
Lot 12, KE Mary Macey 609 ET, 2/12/16 by CHAC Mason 2214; Keith Eichler, Aberdeen, SD to Hasper Ranch, Herreid, SD, \$3,000.  
Lot 20, LCX Perfecto Lady 3D, 3/25/16 by LCX Perfecto 11B ET; Larry Crane, Mitchell, SD to Hannah Peterson, Fedora, SD, \$3,000.

**Top Bred Heifer:**  
Lot 34, OCC Miss Sensation 506, 3/20/15 by Churchill Sensation 028X; Ollerich Cattle Co., Clear Lake, SD to Twisted X Cattle Co., Groton, SD, \$2,800.

## Top Steers:

Lot 51, Steer 6010, 4/06/16 by UPS Sensation 2296 ET; to Steven Muller, \$4,250.  
Lot 60, SQCF Gerrits Pride 652, 2/27/15 by TDP Crossover Z400 to Breeden Ranch, Ten Sleep, WY, \$4,750.

## Top Fall Yearling:

Lot 57, Mohican Take Charge 225C, 9/9/15 by Mohican Take Charge to Arnie Johnson, Cut Bank, MT, \$3,250.



Lane Krueger from Groton, SD did his own bidding at the SD Excellence Sale and took home Lot 16X from Hanson's Polled Herefords. He is pictured with his parents Jeremy and Amy Krueger

4/17/16 by SQCF Utmost 325; Stenberg Herefords to MNM Acres, Canton, SD, \$3,800.

Lot 48, Laible Steer 618, 4/4/16 by DVOR 665 006 Domino 203; Landon Laible to Lesa Mertens, Milbank, SD, \$2,900.

Lot 39, BLME Rushmore 32D, 3/11/16 by ECR RO Rushmore 418 ET; Blume Herefords, Frankfort, SD, to Carie Stiefvater, Salem, SD, \$2,500.

**Mohican West Bull Sale**  
November 14, 2016  
Laurel, MT

**Auctioneer: Joe Goggins**

**61 Bulls — \$2,359**

## Top Lots:

Lot 29, Mohican Hytek 422C, 2/17/15 by TH 113W 11X Hi-Tech 17A to Bayers Hereford Ranch, Twin Bridges, MT, \$5,250.

Lot 16, TDP Take Charge 28C, 2/7/15 by Mohican Take Charge 417A to Ban Ranch, Terry, MT, \$5,000.

Lot 37, Mohican Crossover 84C,



Mallory, Ross and Beth Carlson from Murdock, MN watching the Excellence Sale.

Lot 19, Mohican Day 36C, 2/9/15 by NJW 72N P606 Good Day to Kenny Leiseth, Arnegard, ND, \$4,000.

**Top Two-Year-Old Bull:**  
Lot 69, L3 Desert Frequency 577, 5/11/15 by L3 Winn Rambo 851 to Whalen Brothers, Aladdin, WY, \$9,750.

**Top Fall Bull:**  
Lot 102, King Comfort 601, 9/5/15

**Largent and Sons Herefords Sale**  
November 17, 2016  
Kaycee, WY

**Auctioneer: Joe Goggins, Billings, MT**

**74 Two-Year-Old Bulls — \$4,030**  
**11 Fall Yearling Bulls — \$3,386**  
**5 Bull Calves — \$3,300**  
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**HH ADVANCE 0192X [DLF, HYF, IEF]**  
BW 5.1, WW 60, YW 102, M 22, M&G 53, REA 0.20, Marb 0.16, CHB \$31  
**CL 1 DOMINO 1171Y 1ET [DLF, HYF, IEF]**  
BW 1.9, WW 55, YW 92, M 36, M&G 64, REA 0.28, Marb 0.20, CHB \$31  
**ECR 9122 DOMINO 1060 [DLF, HYF, IEF]**  
BW 3.8, WW 51 YW 84, M 25, M&G 51, REA 0.41, Marb 0.16, CHB \$26

AJ Sires:

**CL 1 DOMINO 314A [DLF, HYF, IEF]**  
BW 0.4, WW 51, YW 81, M 44, M&G 69, REA 0.01, Marb 0.15, CHB \$23

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**C L1 DOMINO 451**  
BW 5.8, WW 65, YW 108, M 24, M&G 56, REA 0.28, Marb 0.15, CHB \$28

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by Desert Comfort 037 to Robert McClain, McClain Cattle and Colts, Calhan, CO, \$7,500.

**Top Bull Calf:**

Lot SF, Lord Business 621, 1/3/16 by WLB Lego 83T 90X to T. Pierson Cattle Co., Kaycee, WY, \$5,000.

**Top Heifer Calf:**

Lot 118, KL 229 Queen Comfort 635, 3/17/16 by L3 King Comfort 229 to Ledbetter Cattle Co., Okmulgee, OK, \$3,800.

**The Amigos Production Sale**

**November 18, 2016**

**Medicine Hat, AB**

**Auctioneer: R.C. (Bob) Balog**

**32 Hereford Long Yearling Bulls — \$6,100**

**57 Angus Long Yearling Bulls — \$6,065**

**6 Hereford Bred Heifers — \$4,108**

**2 Hereford Heifer Calves — \$3,500**

**14 Commercial Bred Heifers — \$2,196**

**5 Commercial Heifer Calves — \$1,100**



*It was a very snowy sale day at Largets near Kaycee, WY.*



*Conard Stitzlein (left) owner of Mohican West and Mohican Polled Herefords and Terry Powlesland, manager of Mohican West, after their sale.*



*Mohican's top seller was Lot 29, Mohican Hytek 422C, by TH 113W 11X Hi-Tech 17A going to Bayers Hereford Ranch, Twin Bridges, MT.*

*Photo by John Goggins, Western Ag Reporter*

**High Selling Herefords, Long Yearling Bulls:**

Lot X, 70C, XTC 40W Thor 70C by LBH 157K Ribstone 40W to Oddan Ranching, Maidstone, SK, \$20,500.

Lot X 127C, XTC 5X Triton 127C by BBSF 52U Alta's Union 5X to McIntyre Ranch, Lethbridge, AB, \$9,750. Lot P40C, PAHL 105 Calcutta 40C by F Rest Easy 105 to Many Island Grazing Association, Medicine Hat, AB, \$9,000.

PAHL 42C by FE 1S Royal Standard 37W to Fenton Herefords, Irma, AB, \$8,500.

PAHL 2C by FE 1S Royal Standard 37W to Darren Davies, North Battleford, SK, \$8,500.

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*The Amigos top selling Hereford bull was XTC 40W Thor 70C by LBH 157K Ribstone 40W. He sold for \$20,500 to Oddan Ranching, Maidstone, SK.*

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**Top Bred Heifer:**

Lot P57C, PAHL 105 Crystal 57C by F Rest Easy 105 to Oddan Ranching, Maidstone, SK, \$5,750.

**High Selling Black Angus Bulls:**

PAHL 160C by PAHL Opening Night 206A to Clinton Phaff, Medicine Hat, AB, \$15,000.

PAHL 235C by PAHL Solar Eclipse 157Z to Lazy H Ranch, Foremost, AB, \$13,750.

PAHL 246C by PAHL Solar Eclipse 157Z to Pridmore Ranch, Maple Creek, SK, \$12,750.

PAHL 232C by Peak Dot Iron Mountain 457Z to East & West Ranch, Elkwater, AB, \$12,750.

PAHL 148C by PAHL Opening Night 206A to Cameran Farms, Taber, AB, \$11,000.

**Fenton Hereford Ranch  
Fall Production Sale  
November 19, 2016**

**Irma, AB**

**Auctioneer: R.C. (Bob) Balog**

**60 Long Yearling Bulls — \$6,325**

**42 Bred Heifers — \$3,200**

**114 Commercial Heifers — \$2,300**

**17 Foals — \$1,100**

**2 Broke Geldings — \$9,300**

**High Selling Long Yearling Bulls:**

Lot 84C, ZZB 74Z Red Dandy 84C by Bannerland 108U Std 74Z to Misty Valley Farms, Maidstone, SK & LO Herefords, Heinsburg, AB, \$27,000.

Lot 99C, FE 24U Red Skyline 99C by FE 44S Red Skyline 24U, \$12,000.



Fenton sale toppler, 74Z Red Dandy 84C by Bannerland 108U Std 74Z sold to Misty Valley Farms, Maidstone, SK & LO Herefords, Heinsburg, AB, for \$27,000.

Lot 83C, ZZB 74Z Red Dandy 83C by FE 32 Dandy Red Gem 270U to Bar N Ranch, Turner Valley, AB, \$11,250.

Lot 142C, FE 199Y Frontline 142C by FE 152S Frontline 199Y to Shane Truby, Durango, CO, \$11,250.

Lot 87C, ZZB 74Z Rust Standard 87C by Bannerland 108U Std 74Z to Parkview Farms, Falun, AB, \$11,000.



Cornhusker Classic sale toppler was Lot 16, DJ Miss Easy Money 642, 3/18/16 by Perks 0003 Easy Money 4003 consigned by Kracke Herefords, sold to Haley Spilker, Dewitt, NE, \$5,250.

**Top Bred Heifer:**

Lot 175C, FE 116Z Frontline 175C by FE 152S Frontline 116Z to Pahl Livestock, Medicine Hat, AB, \$6,000.

**Cornhusker Classic  
Heifer and Steer Sale  
Nov. 20, 2016  
Grand Island, NE**

**Auctioneer:  
Tracy Harl**

**29 Females — \$2,665**

**20 Steers — \$1,653**

**Top Females:**

Lot 16, DJ Miss Easy Money 642, 3/18/16 by Perks 0003 Easy Money 4003; Kracke Herefords to Haley Spilker, Dewitt, NE, \$5,250.

Lot 6, KBCR 414 Missy 686D, 2/10/16 by WCC 78P 76S Ranchester 414



Steve Wolff from Oakes, ND, received North Dakota's Breeder of the Year award at the recent NDHA annual meeting.

ET; Kucera's Beaver Creek Ranch to Abby Stallbaumer, Oconto, NE, \$5,000.

Lot 13, S & S Miss Real 344D, 3/15/16 by BBH 743 Asset 337A; Schutte & Sons to Amily Anderson, Starkville, MS, \$4,500.

Lot 29, Frenzen Miss Vic D130, 5/4/16 by Frenzen Braveheart B21; Frenzen Polled Herefords to Will, Emersyn and Kaylieth Moeller, Grand Island, NE, \$3,750.

Lot 23, HH Miss Northern 6068, 4/3/16 by LS Northern 316A; Hula Herefords to Brianna Hula, Creston, NE, \$3,100.

**North Star Classic Hereford Sale  
December 3, 2016  
Valley City, ND**

**Auctioneer: Andy Mrnak**

**16 Heifer Calves — \$2,115  
2 Steers — \$1,375**

High selling heifer was Lot 15 consigned by Friesz Livestock selling to Jake Aanden, Fertile, MN. Olson Hereford Ranch sold Lot 23 for \$2,500 to Skye Bjerke, Lake Park, MN. Wolff Cattle Co. sold Lots 13, 14, and Lot 21 to Whispering Pine Farms, Big Fork, MT. Rafter T Herefords sold their lot 19 for \$2,500 to James & Jeremy Ma-



Rylee Lodoen (center) was the winner of the heifer donated by Topp Herefords at the North Star Classic in Valley City, ND. She is pictured with Prairie Topp and new NDJHA Queen LaMae Turk.

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**Steers:** Gib Mouser Family from Tenstrike, MN took Olson's Lot 32 for \$1,550.

Dakitch Farms sold 2 lots of 3 embryos each – Lot 30 for \$1,275 John Gilbertson, Puposay, MN and Lot 31 went to Jerry West, Harrisburg, NE for \$975.

Donation heifer sponsored by Topp Herefords, Grace City, ND was won by Rylee Lodoen, Westhope, ND. Steve Wolff was awarded 2016 NDHA Breeder of the Year.

New Queen – LaMae Turk, Jamestown, ND – no princess.

Newly elected NDHA president Andy Mrnak, Bowman; VP – Carl Olson, Argusville; new directors Leon Seefeld, Harvey; and Christopher Rockeman, Donnybrook.

**British Connection Bull Sale**  
December 3, 2016  
Lethbridge, AB  
Auctioneer: R.C. (Bob) Balog

16 Hereford Bull Calves — \$6,640  
18.5 Angus Bull Calves — \$8,864  
31 Long Yearling Hereford Bulls — \$6,908

**High Selling Bull Calves:**

Lot 10, J-Bar-B A152 Downtown 24D by GV CMR X161 Times Up A152 to Beckman Ranch, Warner, AB, \$13,500.



ND Hereford Jr. Heifer Grant winners at the North Star Classic Hereford show and sale.

Lot 4, J-Bar-B A152 Daylight 26D by GV CMR X161 Times Up A152 to McIntyre Ranch Co., McGrath, AB, \$10,000.

Doenz Farms, Warner, AB, \$10,000.  
Lot 54, FA Britisher 27C by DA 201Y Britisher 258A to Clinton & Darryl Brost, Consul, SK, \$10,000.



British Connection sale top was Lot 10, J-Bar-B A152 Downtown 24D by GV CMR X161 Times Up A152 to Beckman Ranch, Warner, AB, \$13,500.

**Top Long Yearling Hereford Bulls:**

Lot 50, FA Uptown Britisher 4C by UPS Uptown ET to Van Newkirk Herefords, Oshkosh, NE, \$13,000.

Lot 49, DA 311W Britisher 3C by MJT Total ET 311W to Rafter Double U Ranch, Bowden, AB, \$10,500.

Lot 21, Jen Silver STD 9C by BR 129S Standard Lad 59X to

Lot 58, DA Britisher 40C by DA Smash Britisher 73Z to Gogolinski Farms, Orion, AB, \$10,000.

**Minnesota Hereford Association**  
**Gopher the Purple Sale**  
December 10, 2016  
Hutchinson, MN

**Auctioneer: Jim Birdwell**

34 Females — \$2,840  
1 Bull — \$3,200

**Top Lot:**

DFH 920 69A Rockette 5D, 1/3/16 by TH 122U 17Y Lombardi 69A; consigned by Williams Hilltop Herefords for \$7,800.

(Buyer information and more next month.)



DFH 920 69A Rockette 5D, 1/3/16 by TH 122U 17Y Lombardi 69A topped the GoPher the Purple sale for consignor Williams Hilltop Herefords at \$7,800.

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# NILE Show Results – Hereford Bull Supreme Champion for Storey Herefords



**Grand Champion Hereford Bull & Supreme Champion Overall — STCC SHR Sniper 525 ET by CRR 719 Catapult 109 shown by Storey Hereford Ranch, Bozeman, MT.**

Billings, Montana • Open Show Judge: Clint Sexson Hermiston, Oregon  
Junior Hereford Show Judge: Jake Scott, Gordon, NE.



**Reserve Champion Bull — Is Thor 44360 by THR Thor 4029 shown by Daniels Hereford Ranch, Malad, ID.**



**Grand Champion Heifer — NJW 137x34 Faith 108D by NJW 735 w15 Homegrown shown by Ned and Jan Ward, Sheridan, WY.**



**Reserve Champion Heifer — SULL Diana 5129C ET by C Miles McKee 2103 ET shown by Kelsey Stimpson, Bozeman, MT.**



**Jr. Show Grand Champion Heifer — Churchill Lady 5105C ET by H/TSR/CHEZ/Full Throttle ET shown by Trista Bates, Manhattan, MT.**



**Jr. Show Reserve Champion Heifer — SULL Diana 5129C ET by C Miles McKee 2103 ET shown by Kelsey Stimpson, Bozeman, MT.**



**Jr. Show Grand Champion Bull — OR CHICO PEAK ABE 504 by C STOCKMAN 2059ET shown by Megan Otis, Emigrant, MT.**



**Jr. Show Reserve Champion Bull — OR CHICO PEAK 601 by MH 3027 DOMINO shown by Megan Otis, Emigrant, MT.**

## American Royal Champions

Kansas City, MO • Open Show Judge: Kevin Jensen, Courtland, KS • 205 Head



**Grand Champion Bull — Lowderman Cattle Company, Macomb, IL, and Curtis and Jackie Castle, Crawford, OK, with LCC 0124 Lock Down 581 ET, a 3/3/15, bull sired by RST Times A Wastin 0124.**



**Reserve Champion Bull — Bar One Ranch, Eugene, OR and Brumley Farms, Orovada, NV, with BF BAR1 10Y Down Home 4111 ET a 7/16/14, son of NJW 73S W18 Hometown 10Y ET.**



**Grand Champion Female — LCC SHF Miss Lemon Lime 502 ET, a 1/2/15 daughter of CHAC Mason 2214, shown by Aleesha and Nigel Howe, Wagontown, PA.**

Curtis and Jackie Castle won premier breeder and premier exhibitor. First place get-of-sire went to Perez Cattle Co., Nara Visa, N.M., with a group sired by NJW 73S 980 Hutton 109Z ET. Best six head honors went to Carswell-Nichols Herefords, Alton, KS.



# American Royal Champions (continued)

Scott Bush, Britton, S.D., judged the 82 females



**Reserve Champion Female, Open Show and Jr. Show** — Bryce McCutchen, Conroe, TX, with DPH 109 6129 Geisha 501 ET. The 1/17/15 by CRR 719 Catapult 109.



**Get-of-sire** went to Perez Cattle Co., Nara Visa, NM, with a group sired by NJW 73S 980 Hutton 109Z ET.



**Jr. Show Grand Champion Female** — Paige Lemenager, Hudson, IL, with DeLhawk Buffy 82C ET, a May 1, 2015, daughter of Purple MB Womanizer 14U ET.

## Western Nugget National - Reno (continued on page 62)

Reno, NV • Judge: Chris Mullinix, Manhattan, KS • 239-head open show



**Grand Champion Polled Bull** — C Black Hawk Down ET Black Hills Herefords, Olympia, WA, Black Hawk Down Syndicate, Bruneau, ID, and Colyer Herefords, Bruneau, ID. He is a 1/14/15 son of WLB Winchester Powerball 27.



**Grand Champion Horned Bull** — C CJC 7172 Miles 5278 ET, exhibited by White Hereford Ranch, Burns, OR, and Colyer Herefords, Bruneau, ID. He is a 2/10/15 son of C Miles McKee 2103 ET.



**Grand Polled Female** — BHR SW Dominette 504, exhibited by Joseph Barry, Gresham, OR. She is a 1/24/15 daughter of STAR Shock Wave 13Y ET.

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Lot 15 - **Remitall-West Moondance ET 40B**  
C02995921 • by Remitall-West Game Day ET 74Y  
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WW 710 lbs.



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# Western Nugget National - Reno

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**Grand Horned Female** — C 1311 5280 Lady 6084ET, exhibited by David Smith, Boulder, CO. She is a 1/9/16, daughter of CRR 5280



**Reserve Grand Polled Female** — H BL Miss Spice 613 ET, exhibited by David Smith, Boulder, Colo. She is a Feb. 22, 2016 daughter of PERKS 144U Right Track 2040



**Reserve Grand Horned Female** — H Annsley 5612 ET, exhibited by David Smith, Boulder, CO. She is a 9/14/15 daughter of H L1 Domino 3053.



**Horned Reserve Grand Bull** — TCW Heat Seeker 28M 504C, exhibited by Weimer Cattle Company, Susanville, CA, and Gary and Kathy Buchholz, Waxahachie, TX. He is a 1/20/15 son of Golden-Oak 4J Maxium 28M.



**Polled Reserve Grand Bull** — C 1311 5280 Lad 6077 ET, exhibited by Colyer Herefords, Bruneau, Idaho. He is a 1/1/16 son of CRR 5280.

## Oct 16- Nov 5, 2016 Why I live in rural America

by Doug Thorson, Hereford breeder from Quinn, SD

October 16 is a day not soon forgotten if you live in western South Dakota. Ninety degrees in the Northern Plains is not normal for that time of year, add on winds of 40 steady with gusts over that by plenty.

It was a normal start, church in the morning, lunch and then a few odd chores. First thing after getting home from church was move a vehicle. Being the nice Dad I am I let my daughter drive us home in our side by side. Uphill I looked at the sky and saw it, SMOKE. Too close to change spots, my reaction was "that is smoke, hit the throttle!" I told her to get in the house and left like my back pockets were on fire. I could tell it was far enough South that my place was going to be in the clear, but it was also abundantly clear that it was going to take a massive effort to put it out.

Shortly before, 911 had been called. Started right along I-90. Latest reports are they will never know the cause but they do know it was man-made. A passing fire fighter from another area made the call. At that time it was the size of a pickup box but he was without anything of use to put it out. Valiant try but it got over the fence. Philip Volunteer Fire rolled out at 1:15 pm. By then it was gaining a head of steam and was rollin' through a pasture that was only grazed in the winter so fuel was plenty and the wind...well it was 30 miles travel for the firefighters.

To keep the timeline straight I probably saw the smoke about the time the firefighters got to the scene. Everyone who is out here has a pickup mounted firefighting unit/weed sprayer, but nearly all had been drained and winterized. The direction of the fire was going to lead it into a very large field of wheat that had been combined months before, a massive fuel source.

With nowhere near enough manpower but a grim determination the few firefighters that were able to get there quickly enough fought with everything they had to keep it out of the combined field. Alas, their best efforts could not, and then they fought for their lives to outrun the fire in their trucks. One thousand acres burned in 3 minutes. In 10 minutes the fire was 3 miles from

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where they desperately fought to keep it manageable.

Dust trails roll out on every gravel and dirt road for 50 miles. A pickup, the man behind the wheel has his heart in his throat and jaw set. Desperately hoping somehow a miracle happens and it gets controlled before he gets there, but if not, I CAN DO SOMETHING!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

What was next was pure chaos. Not once in my life have I thought that this could happen with the equipment we have today. Fences were cut, cattle shoved out of what we thought “in the way” was. Just as soon as we thought we knew what the direction was, the wind hit the back of my neck just as hard as earlier. My only thought was run!!!!!!!!!! Not for me but the families that lived in the new direction.

Helpless is a feeling that most have had. I thought I knew the feeling, could understand it.

Standing on a hill southeast of Cottonwood I realized that I had never felt it before. The fire that had charred a path 10 miles long in 2 hours was now 10 miles wide with the wind howling. At least 6 ranch headquarters directly in its path.

Dust is still rolling, not just behind pickup trucks but behind fire departments arriving from every corner of the western half of the State. Nearly 300 firefighters, almost all volunteers, from 40 different departments spanning 10 counties. Add on what had to be 500 other helpers.

As brutal as Mother Nature can be, change always comes. With the sinking of the sun the winds slowed and the manpower was able to get the upper hand. The terrain was level enough to fight it effectively. Eventually it was unable to consume more and had to be satisfied with burning what it had already started.

The heroics of that day were more than can count. Firetrucks smashing through fences just yards in front of flames to save cattle. A young girl who had never drove before helping get vehicles to safety. Everyone gave something. Some young or old could only pray while some gave their eyebrows. Yet in an incredible miracle of everyone working together and keeping their cool each of the primary residences were saved. Almost more amazing was there were no major human injuries. But 41,360 acres lay charred in the wake. Thousands of bales up in flames along with most winter grass, somewhere over 200 miles of fence, barns and other outbuildings along with what stands right now at 284 head of cattle. All of us on the drive home thought there had to be some way we could have done more! And now, after all is burned, crawl in a hole and wish it had never happened. The possibility of any of us making one iota of difference in the cleanup/get back to whatever the new normal is going to be seemed further away than the moon. There needs

to be a term over shell-shocked to describe what happened in 7 hours of Hell on Earth. That is right, depending on who you believe on when the fire line was contained it burned from 120-135 acres a MINUTE from pickup box size till contained!

To paraphrase the song “through the dust and smoke of this man made hell walked a man with a giant idea that nobody knew well.” Still reeling from this I got call from Bob Stanfiel. He is a competition BBQ cook that I had met on 4 occasions. I get to the house at 12:30 a few days after the fire and he has left a message on my phone. “Don’t know what I can do to help but I can cook.” On that day Bob could have walked the streets of Philip unknown. He had catered an event for me but not 15 people in the town would have known they recognized him. Bob called a few of his competition BBQ buddies to hold a fund raiser for fire relief. Free food donated from out of the area cooked to perfection with a free will offering. Philip, SD is a town of 800 people. A sports team is playing out of town, some have to work, hunting season is upon us so everyone with an guest is gone. They pull in to town with 1000 pounds of BBQ meat and start cooking.

Mother Nature gave us a perfect day. As if the firefighters had not done enough they pulled their trucks out of the shop, scrubbed the floor and set up tables. A couple guys drive close to 100 miles to pick on their guitars and sing.

There is NO WAY a town like this can eat 1000 pounds of meat even counting outsiders with all this going on. Eleven a.m. was the advertised start time. By 11:05 there was a line. At a rate of 300+ people an hour going through, the line at 12:30 it was a full block long. About 2 p.m. that line got to where the wait was only a few minutes.

\$42,000.....that would be no problem anywhere, right? Free will donation?

Six competition BBQ cooks prepared the food for everybody that came. One thousand plus people were served. I tried to catch the guys who were affected and make sure they didn’t pay. One of them replied “others got it worse than I did” while he dropped \$100 in the bucket. An old guy who walks with a cane came. I told him I would get him a sandwich. While I was getting it he handed \$100 to the guy with him and left. Couldn’t hear or walk but wanted to help. A cattle buyer from Missouri showed up at 5 p.m. Sorry, the food is gone. He made a donation anyway.

I am sure that wherever a person goes it would be the same level of care for their fellow man, right? It would be no problem anywhere to get 800 men to stand shoulder to shoulder to protect someone else’s property, right. Should be easier in the city, right? Since the fire there has been many tons of hay donated and days of labor donated to get fence back up to contain the cows



The Cottonwood fire near Wall, SD, from the air on Sunday, Oct. 16, the day it started amid red flag conditions — high winds, high temperatures and low relative humidity. Photo by Ray Bubb, SD Wildland Fire Division.

through the winter.

And then the fund raiser. Bob had never met a single person affected by the fire when he called me. One of the first guys in line had driven 100 miles to come. He wasn’t the farthest away when it was over. And the best thing to happen was the handshakes and conversation going on. “Haven’t seen you in a while” was probably the most used phrase of the day as the community got even closer knit, not just the community of Philip but the community of agriculture over a large area. Friendships were re-enforced and friendships made and the ties that bind gladly accepted another knot.

There is a part of the human condition that only survives by giving. It

does not live on a large paycheck nor by locking your door and watching TV. You cannot keep it going by not knowing your neighbors or by being suspicious of what somebody else wants of you and always making sure you come out on top. No, if you want it to survive you have to feed it. Know your neighbors, care about their well-being and volunteer for something. It is commonly known as compassion and it’s side effect is satisfaction. It seems to flourish in rural America but seems to be endangered in the cities.

I may drive through a city but the only way I will stay there is if you drag my dead body there and dig a deep hole. Maybe you should put a large rock on top if you want to keep me there.



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# South Dakota Hereford Association Weekend & Awards



**Seedstock Producer of the Year** — Atkins Herefords got their start in 1971 when Pete, his dad Alvin and mother Marguerite purchased 6 registered Hereford heifers from Ellis and Rancy Stochien of Clear Lake, SD. Pictured are Pete, his wife Laura and sons Paul, Craig and Scott and his wife Sarah.



**Commercial Producer of the Year** — Ken Snyder, Snyder Ranch near Piedmont, SD was recognized for their many years of raising Hereford and Hereford cross cattle. SDHA Board member Nate Frederickson (left) made the presentation.



**Enthusiasts of the Year** — Jill Hotchkiss (second from left), Reva, SD and Frank Redlin, Summit, SD (not pictured). Also pictured are Jeanne Johnson, SDHA co-manager, Jerome Ollerich, outgoing president and Mark Johnson, co-manager.



**Board Member Recognition** — Jerome Ollerich and Cindy Aman were thanked for serving on the SDHA board. Jerome is the retiring president.



**Special Recognition** — Past SDHA manager Phil Eggers, Sioux Falls, was recognized for his years of service to the association. Pictured are Jeanne Johnson, Phil Eggers, Jerome Ollerich and Mark Johnson.



**SDHA Board** — Front row, left: Dick Wettlaufer, secretary/treasurer, Phil Tesch, vice president and Managers Jeanne and Mark Johnson. Back Row, left: Seth Zilverberg, president; Reese Wagner, Ryan Ollerich, Nate Frederickson. Not pictured, Matt Knock.



**Grant Winners** — A record number of grant winners, 14, receiving money to spend on an animal at the SD Excellence sale.



Art Handel offered a few words after being introduced and recognized for being honored with AHA's Hall of Merit award, and thanked for his years of service to South Dakota.



Pete Atkins, AHA board member gave a brief update on association news.



The SD Excellence Sale is held at the Animal Science Arena at South Dakota State University in Brookings.

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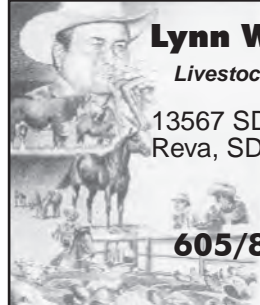
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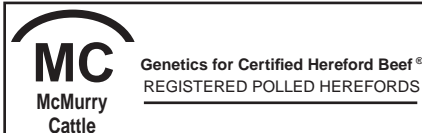
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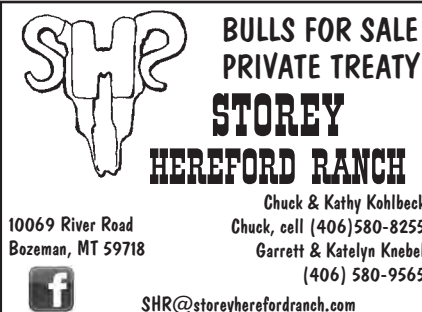
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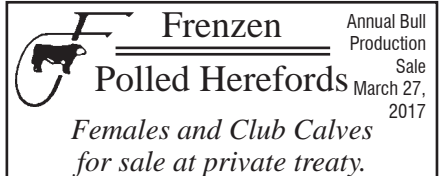
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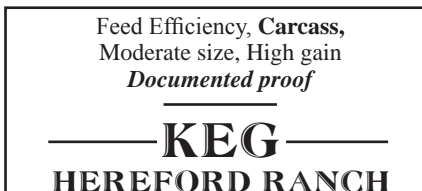
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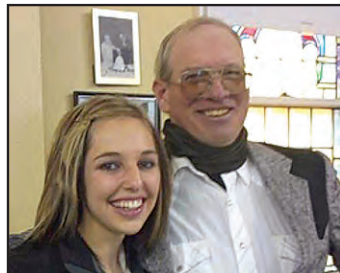


# Nebraska Hereford Weekend & Awards

Editor's Note: More to come next month.



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**Commercial Producer of the Year** — Larry Stangle, Marsland, NE with niece Brooke Hinojosa who is on the NJHA board.



**Nebraska Hereford Women Directors** — Hereford Women of Nebraska recently elected the 2017 board of directors. Pictured (left to right, front) President, Trudy Nolles, Bassett; Vice President, Carrie Ourada, Burwell; Secretary, Kelsie Musil, Wilbur and Treasurer, Sarah Person-Hampton. (Back row, directors): Vawn Hula, Creston; Kay Miigerl, Ravenna; Robin Meeks, Taylor; Hally Ziegler, Bloomfield and Karla Person, Hordville. Nolles is also serving on the National Hereford Women board of directors.



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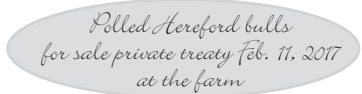
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